THE WEATHER.
Rain Wednesday and Thursday; northeast gale on the coast.

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ATHLETICS DOWN NATIONALS AGAIN

Administered Crushing Defeat to Chicago Cubs in Second of Series.

GAME WAS FULL OF THRILLS

Eddie Collins Plays Great Baseball For Philadelphia—Mathewson Problem to Highlanders—Cincinnati Wins Game.

Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—In a game that was full of thrills from the start almost to the finish, the Philadelphia American League Champions this afternoon administered a crushing defeat to the Chicago National League Champions before more than 24,000 persons. The score was 9 to 3.

It was one of the most exciting games ever played on the American League grounds here. It abounded in sensational fielding and terrific batting.

The hero of the afternoon, who shone as brilliantly in his department of the game as did Bender in yesterday's contest, was Eddie Collins, the star second baseman of the home team. This former captain of the Columbia University nine several times electrified the crowd by his sensational work. The score books show that in his five turns at the plate, he reached first every time by making three hits, two of them doubles, receiving a base on balls and making a force play. He scored two runs and sent two home; accepting ten chances without an error; figured in two sensational plays that stopped Chicago from running the bases and last but not least, the champion base-runner stole twice on the king of National League back-stops, Kling. Mordecai Brown kept Collins as close as he could to the first bag. In the sixth inning Collins out-guessed the Chicago battery three times, Brown pitching three wide balls for Kling to line the ball to second, but each time Collins appeared to divide the play and waited. Then he made his dash and went into the bag feet first as a perfect throw reached the bag just an instant too late.

Coombs pitched a most erratic game, giving nine bases on balls. He got into trouble in the first inning by giving two of the first three men up bases on balls. He got away with the inning with but one run against his team. At several other stages of the contest he was in trouble, but the brilliant work of the men behind him pulled him out of the difficulties. He seemed to show better form when the bases were occupied than when the bags were clear. This is shown by the fact that Chicago had 14 men left on the bases. Chicago's inside play did not seem to be in working order for, with the men on the bases and Coombs unsteady, some sharp piece of fielding would break up the inning as there was every prospect of a score.

Mordecai Brown pitched fairly good ball in the early stages of the game and was quite steady. The Philadelphians began to touch him up in the third inning and in the seventh he was hit to all corners of the field. Nine men went to the bat in this inning and scored six runs on three doubles, two singles, a base on balls, an error and a sacrifice. After that inning he was taken out and was succeeded by Richie. In the seventh innings he pitched the "white elephant" hit him thirteen times for a total of 17 bases.

Chicago scored its first run at the beginning of the game. After Sheckard was forced out by Schulte, Hoffman ard had received a base on balls and was given four balls, Chance's single filled the bases and Schulte scored on Zimmerman's long sacrifice fly.

Fast double plays ended the chances either team had to score in the second inning. With two on in the third and none out Chicago was unable to score, but the Athletics in their half forged to the front. Seinfeldt fumbled Thomas' grounder. Coombs struck out and Strunk singled. Lord forced Strunk at second and then Collins hit into left field for two bases, sending home both Thomas and Lord. Baker was out on a grounder.

There was no more scoring until the fifth when Philadelphia added another run to its total.

Strunk struck out, Lord singled and was forced by Collins. The latter made his second steal and after Baker had received a base on balls Collins came home on Davis' pretty single to left. In Chicago's half of the fifth Murphy made a great throw to the plate, completing a double play and ending the inning.

The National Leaguers scored their second run in the seventh. Brown struck out and Sheckard sent a line drive into the crowd for two bases. Schulte lifted a fly to Strunk and Hoffman and worked Coombs for his third base on balls. Captain Chance then came up and sent a hot single to center and Sheckard crossed the plate. Chance was forced out by Zimmerman.

Then came the seventh that broke up the game so far as any doubt about the result was concerned. Collins

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STATE FAIR IN FULL SWING

Governor Delivers Address and Pays Tribute to North Carolina's Progress—Record-Breaking Crowds Attend.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 18.—The 50th annual State Fair opened most auspiciously today at noon, with an address by Governor Kitchin, in which he paid tribute to North Carolina's progress and her people, emphasizing the growth of the State Fair from an affair in 1853 that attracted only 4,000 people, "a great crowd for those days," to a fair with 6,000 entries and crowds rounding up promising to be probably fifty to sixty thousand people. He commended North Carolina's progress in agriculture and manufactures and Raleigh's enterprise and hospitality.

The crowds today were a record-breaker and indications are that with good weather conditions greatest crowds in the history of the State will gather Wednesday and Thursday. The exhibits are exceptionally good, with no less than 2,500 more entries than the State fair has ever had before. In the agricultural building there are in connection with corn exhibits alone 93 exhibits from all parts of the State in connection with the boys' corn contests and 50 exhibits in connection with the men's contest premiums on these features alone aggregate over $500.

There are county exhibits by Guilford, Haywood, Alamance, Wake and Chatham. Horticultural and agricultural exhibits are exceptionally fine in the splendid new re-inforced concrete building used for the first time.

TAFT VISITS ELLIS ISLAND.

President Interested in Process of Handling the Aliens.

New York, Oct. 18.—President Taft had his first view today of that wonderful piece of machinery in Ellis Island, where the aliens of many countries undergo their first guelling on the road to American citizenship. The human interest side of the work at the big immigrant station appealed to the President. He saw the process of handling the aliens from the moment of landing up to the moment of final discharge, when, with tear streaming eyes, they rushed into the arms of waiting friends or relatives. It was this last phase of the work which struck the President most deeply.

During his investigation the President sat with Immigration Commissioner William Williams in a number of appealed cases. Mr. Taft proved a lenient judge and it was indeed a happy fate which brought nearly a score of rejected immigrants to the bar for final decision on the day of the President's visit. The President took a hand in practically all the cases of the immigrants who came up on appeal. The most interesting case of all was that of a Welsh miner and his family of seven motherless children. The President personally directed that the family be admitted and he declared that if he was at all a judge of human nature the seven children would grow up into the best type of citizens. As a result of his studies and observations today Mr. Taft had reached tonight a pretty denite conclusion on three points:

1. He believes that a strong effort should be made to distribute the influx of foreigners and do away with the present congestion in New York.

2. He believes that heavier penalties should be exacted of the steamship companies for infractions of the immigration rules so as to make them more strict in the examination of immigrants before shipping them in foreign ports.

3. He believes that all male immigrants upon their arrival here should be put through a thorough examination as to the condition of families left behind in Europe. One's most difficult human problems of the immigration service has been the separation of families, but the President believes the problem can be solved by requiring immigrants to tell in advance whether or not families left behind are eligible for admission under the immigration laws.

In the first case brought before the President today on appeal was that of an Italian woman and four children. The husband had already arrived in this country. There was some question as to whether he could learn enough to support the family. The man declared he could and the President took the same view. The wife and children were admitted.

Some aliens suffered from flatfoot were fortunate in being brought before the President. He declared that while flatfoot interfered with a number of occupations it was possible persons so afflicted to follow many useful trades. The flatfooted immigrants went joyously on their way to New York.

BUST OF RANSOM.

Shipped From Paris and Will be Here Next Month.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 18.—The North Carolina Historical Commission is notified that the marble bust of the late Senator Matthew W. Ransom has been shipped from Paris and will be in Raleigh ready to be set up in its niche in the rotunda of the capitol by November 10th. A letter to this effect is just received by Secretary R. D. W. Connor, of the Commission from Sculptor F. W. Ruckstuhl, who has the commission for the execution of this work. Ceremonies for the unveiling of the statue will take place during the early days of the next General Assembly with addresses by T. J. Jarvis and R. W. Winston, the presentation speech by Col. J. Bryan Grimes, for the Commission, and acceptance by Governor Kitchin.

WELLMAN FORCED TO LEAVE AIRSHIP

Big Dirigible Drifts Out of Her Course and Steamer Rescues Crew.

THRILLING EXPERIENCE AT SEA

Crew Took to Life Boats and Were Safely Transferred to Liner.—Wireless Brought Assistance.—Features.

New York, October 18.—Man's first attempt to cross any ocean in an airship has failed, but Walter Wellman, five companions and a kitten, who essayed the voyage, are safe. The airship—the giant America—is a battered aerial derelict, abandoned at sea, perhaps still in the air, perhaps sunk beneath the waves with her costly equipment. When deserted she had been in the air probably 72 hours, a new world's record for dirigibles, and driven by the wind has traveled doubtless 800 miles. Whether the distance record for dirigibles—870 miles—also will be broken remains to be computed.

Picked up by the steamship Trent early this morning, off the North Carolina coast, Wellman and his fellow airnavigators, are due in New York at noon tomorrow. They left their craft because she was in distress and blown so far from the line of the Atlantic steamer travel that a continuation of the voyage with the British Isles as the objective point was hopeless. So, summoning aid by wireless, the difficult and dramatic transfer to the Trent was accomplished and the America was left to the fate of the winds.

For an incident parallel in history—the transfer of passengers from an airship to a steamship—meagre were the details obtainable by wireless during the day. Wireless, at all times more or less uncertain, was rendered more so by the tropical storm which swept northward, but tonight wireless stations in the vicinity of New York picked up from the Trent a word here and a word there, amplifying on the earlier dispatches.

It was learned that Wellman had found it necessary to rid the airship of the burden of most of its gasoline retaining only enough to reach land in the event the Trent had not come to the rescue. When the steamship heeded the calls o fthe distress and drew near its aerial sister, Wellman shouted his predicament through a megaphone and decided that he would lower his life boat, which swung from the dirigible's belly. As a precaution, the Trent lowered her life boats, which stood by until the transfer was effected and Wellman and his companions, even down to the frightened, squirming kitten, were safe on board the liner, surrounded by the excited passengers.

The rescue was accomplished at a time when two continents awaited breathlessly the fate of the dirigible and her crew.

Having been spoken by wireless, presumably in the vicinity of Nantucket, at 12:45 P. M., on Sunday, it was a surprise then when the news came that the American had encountered the Trent, homeward bound from Bermuda, in a longitude and latitude nearly 400 miles southward and only 250 miles northwest of Bermuda. Thrilling must have been the experience of the America's commander and crew as they were thus swept out of their course.

Captain Down, of the Trent, flashed first news of the rescue in a message to the New York Times, which, with the Chicago Record Herald and the London Daily Telegraph, contributed $35,000 for the purpose of the expedition. Captain Down also advised Sanderson & Son, New York agents for the Royal Mail Steamship Packet Line. Subsequently more details came in a dispatch to The Associated Press.

Further wireless messages reaching New York tonight say that one of the America's motors had broken, which made more serious the predicament created when all the gasoline that could be spared, was cast into the sea.

The America is, or was, 223 feet long and 52 feet in diameter, with a lifting capacity of 23,650 pounds. The envelope alone weighed two tons. There were three gasoline engines aboard, two of from 80 to 90 horsepower for the propellers and one smaller for the operation of a donkey engine. Taken as a whole, the craft was practically the same in which Wellman made his two sarts for the north pole in 1907 and 1909, respectively. Neither of these attempts were successful; both were made from Spitzbergen, one of a group of islands in the Arctic ocean, between Franz Josef Land and Greenland.

Story from Steamer.

On Board Steamer Trent, Oct. 18.—(By United Wireless to New York)—The crew of the airship America, in abandoning their craft, lowered themselves into the life boat which swung beneath it. They then cast the life line off and were afloat on the sea. The airship, relieved of the weight of the lifeboat, shot up high into the air and was rapidly blown away. The transfer of the Wellman party from the life boat to the Trent was effected with much difficulty.

At 4:30 A. M., today the steamer Trent sighted the airship America and wireless communication was immedi-

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NEW YORK POLITICAL PUZZLE

Republican Leaders Worried Over Outlook for Coming Election Held Conference With Taft. Teddy Mentioned.

New York, Oct. 18.—President Taft devoted several hours this afternoon to political conferences regarding the situation in New York State. He saw Republican State Chairman W. P. Prentice, Otto Bannard and Ralph Peters. Tomorrow morning the President will see Lloyd C. Griscom, president of the New York County Committee. And although no arrangements have been made to that end, it is reported tonight that there may be a meeting between the President and Theodore Roosevelt tomorrow.

The President heard a number of interesting reports today regarding the situation in this State. The leaders made no attempt to disguise the fact that they are considerably worried over the outlook. They declare that the situation is perhaps the most puzzling they ever have had to face. One quite distinguished leader put it to the President this way: "We couldn't win without the colonel and it looks that if we are defeated it may be because of the attacks on the colonel."

"Campaign funds," the President was told, are coming in more slowly than for many years.

The President is not inclined to take a pessimistic view of the situation, however. He said again today that he did not feel that the present campaign in New York State would have a dominant effect upon the Presidential campaign in 1912. Messrs. Bannard and Prentice are said to have agreed with the President in this. It is understood that Bannard believes that President Taft will be re-nominated in 1912, the Republican party having long ago adopted the principle of giving presidents two terms, and the leaders who saw the President today told him that they found the sentiment in his favor growing daily in this State.

They also said that they believed the opposition to Col. Roosevelt in many quarters would abate as the campaign advances.

Secretary Charles Nagel, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, also shared in the political conferences of the day. Mr. Nagel is to make several speeches in the New York State campaign.

Colonel Will Not Meet Taft.

Oyster Bay, Oct. 18.—It was said for Col. Roosevelt tonight that he will not go to New York nor will Taft come to Oyster Bay.

This apparently disposes of the rumor current in New York that there was to be a meeting of the two tomorrow.

The ex-President spent the day resting after his return from his trip up-State yesterday. When he arrived at the Grand Central station in New York today the colonel was less than a mile from the home of Henry W. Taft, where President Taft was staying, but he stopped in New York only long enough for breakfast at the Union League Club.

Mr. Roosevelt said he expected no visitors during his present short perior of rest at home.

STUDENTS ON A STRIKE.

Three Hundred at Denver University Demand a Holiday.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 18.—"We want a holiday," was the burden of the shouts of the more than 300 students at Denver University, who reinforced their demands with clanging cowbells, drums and tin cans, stormed recitation rooms and declared a strike when their demands were refused.

Shortly after 9 o'clock yesterday nearly 100 students, led by four upper classmen, stormed the main building, entered class rooms, dragging students and professors into the hall and threatening to throw belligerent professors through the window. After successfully breaking up classe, the insurgents retired to the campus and held a serpentine dance.

The demand for the holiday is on account of a football victory. About 200 undergraduates are today still trying to force the holiday which has not yet been officially granted.

OUTLINES.

Walter Wellman and his crew were forced to abandon the airship America early yesterday morning and were picked up off the North Carolina coast by the steamer Trent of the Royal Mail Line——The hurricane from the South continues to rage along the South Atlantic coast, causing loss of life and great destruction to property. The Philadelphia Americans again defeated the Chicago Nationals in the second game of the world's championship series yesterday. The teams play in Chicago Thursday——President Taft was in conference yesterday with several political leaders from New York State, who are worried over the political outlook.——President Taft was a visitor yesterday at Ellis Island. Mayor Gaynor has accepted an invitation to call upon the President. ——Belmont Abbey, in this State, was yesterday made a Cathedral Abbey. Elaborate ceremonies marked the occasion.——New York markets: Money on call steady 3 to 3 1-2 per cent., ruling rate and closing bid 3, offered at 3 1-4. Spot cotton closed quiet, 35 points decline, middling uplands 14.45, middling gulf 14.50. Flour was barely steady with a moderate inquiry. Wheat easy, No. 2 red 98 3-4 elevator and 99 f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot steady, No. 2, 56 1-2 elevator domestic basis to arrive and 56 f.o.b. afloat. Oats spot steady. Futures closed small net advance. Turpentine quiet.

HURRICANE RAGES ALONG THE COAST

Destruction in Florida Estimated at Several Million Dollars.

STORM IS NOW MOVING NORTH

Great Damage at Key West and Jacksonville—Struck Savannah Last Night—Crops are Reported Ruined.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 18.—What undoubtedly will prove to be the most destructive storm in the history of the United States last night and today swept the entire Florida peninsular, doing damage estimated at several million dollars.

Forty thousand square miles of territory south of Jacksonville has been without means of communication with the outside world for more than 24 hours. The last reports from this section, embracing territory south of a line from Tampa to St. Augustine told of hurricane winds, hourly increasing in intensity and rapidly falling barometers. The orange crop and vast trucking industry in tha territory were reported probably ruined.

Jacksonville sustained heavy property damage, but it is believed there was no loss of life in the vicinity. Along the eastern coast, many lives are believed to have been lost and the property damage must have been great.

The maximum wind velocity, 70 miles an hour, was recorded here at 7 o'clock tonight when the center of the disturbance appeared to have passed up Atlantic coast toward Savannah. The wind velocity along the coast was greater than in the city. Mayport, a the mouth of the St. Johns river experienced a wind of 80 to 90 miles an hour and one half of the houses were wrecked.

There has been no communication at any point south of [illegible] with the exception of St. Augustine since late his afternoon and all wires north were severed with one exception shortly before dark.

A heavy downpour of rain accompanied the high winds everywhere. At St. Augustine houses in the business section were flooded tonight at low tide with a promise of immense damage to business property a flood tide. The city is in darkness, a gale was still blowing at 6 o'clock tonight, the swelling seas were breaking over the sea walls and at that hour thousands of dollars of damage had been done property along the water front. Not a word has come from Tampa since 4:20 this morning.

The only loss of life reported was that of the drowning of three negroes at Key West. The territory from which no reports have come from 24 hours, however, it is expected to show a heavy death toll.

By reason of the warning issued by the Weather Bureau, shipping is believed to have suffered very little. While the damage will be very heavy along the coast, the greatest property loss was in the interior, where the storm came upon the people with little warning, and, in some instances, without any notice at all.

Big Damage at Key West.

Key West, Fla., via Havana, Oct. 18.—The tropical hurricane which has been sweeping over the West Indies and southern waters for the past five days, took Key West in its grip yesterday and tore away the roofs of houses, shook a number of buildings from their fouidations, blew vessels from their moorings and did other damage, the extent of which cannot yet be estimated.

The south beach section and the western part of the city suffered great effects from the storm. The sea pohred over the low lying shores and many houses facing the ocean were either wrecked or blown from their blocks. The pleasure resort, LaBrisa, a large wooden buliding, was hurled from its supports and broke in half. The Consumers Ice Company plant and the Havana-American Cigar factory were badly damaged. The handsome residences of M. B. Darnell and N. B. Rhodes were blown down. The new government wharf was pounded by the heavy waves until sections of it were broken away. The damage to the electric company's plants amount o $50,000 while the naval station will cost many thousands of dollars to put in repair.

The steamer Olivette broke from her moorings at the Peninsular and Occidental Steamship Company's wharf and swung into an abuttment across Duval street. Laer when the wind veered she was blown back to her wharf and safely secured. A Standard Oil tug broke from her moorings, but anchored in the harbor. Standard Oil barge No. 94 dragged her anchor and is now on a bank a mile from the city. Several schooners were dismasted and sunk in the harbor.

Only three lives are reported lost. Alexander Johnson, colored, his wife, and four children, while attempting to leave their home near South Beach were caught by he wave. The mother and father each carried two of the children. The father escaped while

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BELMONT CATHEDRAL ABBEY

Elaborate Ceremonies Marked Event Attended by Distinguished Catholic Prelates—First in Western Hemisphere.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 18.—In the presence of a distinguished company of Catholic prelates and clergy, Mgr. Diomede Falconio D. D., apostolic delegate, today published the mandate of Pope Pius X. and conferred upon Belmont Abbey the distinction of Abbatia Nullius, or Cathedral Abbey, the first of its kind in the Western Hemisphere. An audience that overflowed the beautiful abbey cathedral and swarmed about the extensive grounds witnessed the elaborate ceremonies marking the occasion.

The benedictine monks were up for matins at 4 A. M. and the bishops and clergy said masses until 8 o'clock. Shortly before 9 o'clock the procession of ecclesiastical dignitaries, followed by Bishop Haid and Mgr. Falconio, formed in front of the monastery and marched in solemn procession to the cathedral, where Mgr. Falconio celebrated pontificial high mass. Then came the reading of the papal bull, reciting the Cathedral Abbey and finally the papal benediction.

The ceremony lasted from 9 o'clock until 11:30. An imposing procession ormed at the main entrance to the college and marched through the shaded avenues to the door of the cathedral. The vivid red of costly vestments made especially for the occasion in Lyon, France, added to the brilliance of the spectacle. Superb music was render, the 12-piece college orchestra, with Father Francis as organist, being a chief factor in this. A clerical choir of 16 select voices, a male choir of 24 voices and a mixed choir of boys and men numbering 20 sang with fine effect. Father Chrysestom was choirmaster, and Father Williams leader of the orchestra. The processional was the "Festal March." The orchestra rendered the "March Pontifical" as the recessional.

At 1 o'clock the distinguished clergy were guests at a sumptuous banquet in the monastery refractory and this evening they were entertained at a dramatic performance by the students of St. Mary's College, connected with the abbey. Numerous costly and magnificent gifts, [illegible] from two continents, were received during the day, this being the silver jubilee of the abbey and its venerable abbot, Bishop Haid.

In addition to the apostolic delegate, among the dignitaries present were: Bishop Corrigan, of Baltimore, representative of his eminence, Cardinal Gibbons; Bishop Northrop, of Charleston, S. C.; Bishop Monaghan, of Wilmington, Del.; Bishop Kelley, of Savannah, Ga.; Bishop Vande Vyer, of Richmond, Va.; Bishop Keiley, of Florida; Bishop Mohr, of Florida; Bishop Borneman, of Reading, Pa.; Bishop Decker, of Erie, Pa., and several hundred priests from far and near.

REMAINS A DEADLOCK.

No Nomination in Second Virginia Primary After 300 Ballots.

Suffolk, Va., Oct. 18.—After three adjournments today the Second District Congressional Convention re-convened tonight, but plans to nominate E. E. Holland on the 300th ballot failed. J. T. Deal withdrew from the race but Young's forces turned to Deal, the ballot resulting Holland 80; Deal 70; Maynard 17. The convention is in a deadlock, a motion to adjourn having been lost.

At the conclusion of the 442nd ballot with no nomination in sight the convention took another recess at midnight until 10 o'clock tomorrow. While the balloting was proceeding perfunctorily without any changes in the voting the Democratic District Committee which had been charged by the State Central Committee with the task of providing means for the selection of a nominee, held two meetings. It was declared to be the unanimous opinion of the committee that the convention was not carrying out the rules of the committee which provided the new "primary convention" plan of nomination, in that the committee never contemplated the adoption of convention rules by which no andidate could ever be nominated as the result of a deadlock. The district committee called into conference the floor leaders of Holland, Young, Maynard and Deal, suggesting that the convention be so changed as to bring about a nomination in the end. The committee's idea was to go before the convention if necessary with a statement and explanation.

The floor leaders said that any statement by the committee would be regarded as "undue interference" and would not be accepted. The committee then withdrew suggestions.

The Maynard delegation in caucus has determined to cast its 17 votes for Maynard until he wins or is nominated. The Young delegation continues to cast its 64 votes for Deal, giving Deal 70 against Holland's 80 with 84 still necessary to a choice.

CAPT. J. C. SMITH, DEAD.

Well Known Cape Fear Navigator Passes Away at Fayetteville.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 18.—Capt. Jas. C. Smith, who was for many years a well known and popular navigator, on the Cape Fear and St. John's rivers, but who has of recent years had charge of the Fayetteville municipal waterworks plant at Glennville, died at his home there this afternoon. Of his immediate family, Capt. Smith is survived by three sons and three daughters, all grown.

THE PATHFINDERS AT ROCKINGHAM

First Lap of Journey Over Wilmington Charlotte Highway.

VERY SATISFACTORY PROGRESS

First Day in Every Way Satisfactory, Arriving at Rockingham Early Last Night—The Official Record En Route.

Only a little more than two hours late, which is considered remarkable for a trip of the kind, the Wilmington to Charlotte Highway pathfinders, consisting of four machines which left this city at 5:42 o'clock yesterday morning, reached Rockingham, N. C., at 8:40 o'clock last night, without taking out time for stops at several points en route.

Of the four machines which left the city, one was disabled en route by the loss of a wheel but the others, including the official pathfinder, the E. M. F. Thirty, driven by Mr. W. D. McMillan, Jr., went through in a jiffy, being received with enthusiastic welcome all along the proposed route. The car carrying the Star's special correspondent for the trip, Mr. C. D. Myers, was the one disabled, but thanks to its local correspondents along the line and Mr. C. R. Humphreys, one of the official engineers, and the excellent long distance service of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, an official record of the first lap of the journey was obtainable in a moment after the arrival of the party in the Richmond capital last nigh.

The four cars left foot of Market street at 5:42 yesterday morning in the following order:

E. M. F. 30, The Pathfinder—W. D. MacMillan, owner and driver; H. deW. Rapalje, engineer; W. B. Cooper, of Wilmington, and A. M. Chinnis, of [illegible], N. C.

Royal Tourist—Owned and driven by Mr. F. Warlich, J. C. McEachin, Dr. T. B. Carroll, C. D. Myers and C. R. Humphreys.

Chalmers Detroit—Owned by Jos. H. Hinton, driven by F. Herbst, Messrs. E. L. Hinton, and Louis H. Skinner.

Locomobile—Owned by Mr. F. J. Gooding, driven by Mr. William Wiley, Mrs. F. J. Gooding.

Although a northeast storm was threatened, the pathfinders were in fine spirits and despite the early hour a number of friends were at the docx as the party passed over the ferry and began the journey, which will end at Charlotte early this evening if plans do not miscarry. The official record of the first day's lay of the trip is as follows:

Left Wilmington 5:42 A. M., passed Phoenix 6:31 A. M., distance 7 3-4 miles.

Arrived Cronly 7:26 A. M., distance 18.3 miles. Mr. Chinnis left party which was joined by Mr. G. Herbert Smith, of Columbus county.

Passed Armour at 7.50 A. M., distance 21.8 miles.

Arrived Wannanish 9.47 A. M., distance 37.3 miles.

Arrived Lake Waccamaw 10.04 A. M. Joined by Messrs. J. P. Council, F. B. Gault, Clyde Council and A. L. Council.

Arrived Hallsboro 10:30 A. M., distance 41.1 miles.

Arrived Whiteville 11.09 A. M., distance 50.8 miles. Joined by Messrs. J. A. Brown, Oscar High and others, increasing number of machines to eight, this delegation escorting the pathfinders through Columbus county.

Left Whiteville 11:24 A. M., arrived Chadbourn 11.58, distance 58.3 miles. Reception by public school children of Chadbourn.

Left Chadbourn 12:05, passed Evergreen 12:42. Royal Tourist car forced to abandon the trip on account of the loss of wheel; distance 66.5 miles.

Arrived Boardman 1:06 P. M., distance 71.2 miles. Entertained by Mr. E. B. Wright, of the Butters Lumber Co. Joined by delegation of Robeson citizens headed by Maj. A. J. McKinnon and Editor W. B. Harker, of the Maxton Scottish Chief.

Arrived Lumberton 3:17 P. M., distance 86.7 miles. Entertained by Commercial and Industrial Club.

Left Lumberton 3:58 A. M., arriving at Maxton at 5:30 o'clock, where a large number of cars joined the party from Scotland county; distance 109.6 miles.

Left Maxton 5:50 P. M., arrived at Laurinburg 6:24, distance 118.9 miles. Entertained by the Argyle Club.

Left Laurinburg 6:44 P. M., passed Hamlet 8:10, distance 136.4 miles.

Arrived Rockingham, N. C., 8:40 P. M., distance 142 1-2 miles.

The party will spend the night at Rockingham and leave for Charlotte at 8 o'clock this morning. A long distance telephone message from a member of the party at Rockingham last night stated that he trip had been in every way satisfactory and that the pathfinders were enthusiastic over the outlook for the morrow with anything like favorable weather conditions. The story was told by the Star's correspondents in towns through which the

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THREE WEEKS YET OF PRIZE CONTEST

Standing of Contestants this Morning Shows Gains in All Six of The Districts.

TIME FOR EXTRA EFFORT

Thirty Four Prizes in All and Well Worth Striving For—Renewed Interest and Effort in Every District.

Twenty-eight prizes in the Star's Popularity Contest for young women, and six prizes for young men, means that there are sure to be thirty-four winners of handsome prizes just two weeks from next Monday night. Are you striving to place your name or that of your friend upon that roll of honor?

The majority of contestants seem to have started out the new week with renewed energy, and the list which apears today will prove that statement. Large gains have been made by a great many contestants in each and every district, and votes are still pouring into the Contest office so that it is hard to guess which names will appear leading the various districts when the votes are next published.

Four Grand Prizes and 24 district prizes for the young women, means that each district is sure to win four prizes, and all have the same chance to win the Capital Prizes.

The first Grand Prize is $500 in cash, a prize which is valuable to anyone. This prize will be awarded the winner or her representative on the night of the final counting.

The second highest may choose between the double trip to Cuba, a standard upright piano, or the pony, buggy and Harness.

The third highest will have second choice of the three prizes mentioned, and the fourth highest will have the remaining prize.

The first district prize for each district is a handsome diamond ring. The second district prize for each district is a Turkish black leather rocker The third dictrict prize for each of the six districts is a $25 bank account. The third district prize for each of the the six districts is a ladies' gold watch, either plain or embossed.

A Trip to Cuba.

All do not seem to realize the full meaning of a double trip to Cuba with expenses, as guest of the Morning Star. The winer of this handsome and valuable prize chooses her own companion to accompany her on this trip, and arrangements for everything else is attended to by the Star.

These young women will leave over the fast and famous Atlantic Coast Line, having a short stop over at Jacksonville, Florida; also one at Tampa, giving them chance to do a great deal of sight-seeing which is more educational than a year's study in school.

Can you imagine the beauties of Cuba, that wondrous country, at this time of the year? The large boats arriving daily bring thousands of Americans to this wondrous place to escape the blizzards and snow storms of their native land. Books cannot describe the beauties to be found there, and the many historical places of interest must be visited in order to be appreciated.

Diamond Rings.

These prizes have caused no little interest and a large number of inquiries have been received at Honnet's regarding the diamonds which six happy contestants will be awarded.

Mr. Geo. Honnet himself says that so far as general inquiries are concerned he has found great and widespread interest manifested in the present contest as compared with similar affairs which his popular store has furnished prizes for, and regarding the quality of the jewelry offered, Mr. Honnet believes that his selection of these handsome little prizes will please each and every winner.

Standing of Contestants.

The standing of the contestants up to the count yesterday afternoon was as follows:

DISTRICT I.

Counties of Edgecombe, Wilson, Wake, Mecklenburg, in North Carolina, and all other counties in North and South Carolina not mentioned in the other districts.

Miss Mittie Moore, Elm City, N. C.	8,510
Miss Nell Phillips, Graham, N. C.	8,460
Miss Lizzie Cason, Chesterfeld, S. C.	8,045
Miss Myriam Quackenbush, Burlington	7,720
Miss Lillie Carter, Elm City, N. C.	7,695
Miss Lucy Spencer, Lake Landing	7,460
Miss Ada Bissett, Wilson, N. C.	7,260
Miss Annie Morrow, Mebane, N. C.	6,910
Miss Lizzie Lavender, Lake Landing	5,280
Miss Lillian Burch, Greenville, N. C.	5,840
Mrs. A. A. Hamilton, Battleboro, N. C.	5,110
Miss Delpha Lanter, Williamston	6,390
Miss Pattie Dowell, Williamston	4,980
Miss Lilly Gay, Pinetops, N. C.	4,980
Mrs. Jno. Morris, Oriental, N. C.	5,270
Miss Katie Hawes, Atkinson	4,965
Miss Sadie Slater, Wallenburg, N. C.	4,950
Miss Elizabeth Marriott, Battleboro	4,760
Miss Ruth Hobgood, Battleboro, N. C.	4,390
Miss Malvina Hoods, Stonewalls, N. C.	3,065
Miss Miriam Johnston, Wintersville	3,675
Miss Vara D. Rose, Rocky Mount	6,215
Miss Neva McGin, Little River, S. C.	3,275
Miss Louise Fleming, House, N. C.	3,065
Miss Annie Ward, Coraopeake, N. C.	5,015
Miss Swana Albright, Graham, N. C.	2,310
Miss Elsie Beasley, Colerain, N. C.	4,080
Miss Jennie Bryan, Rocky Mount,	2,666
Miss Mattie Barnes, Wilson, N. C.	3,760
Miss Marietta Boyce, Ryland, N. C.	2,460
Miss Lillie Culabrie, Rock Mount	2,715
Miss Lizzie Cox, Winterville, N. C.	2,340
Miss Lorah Casey, Pantego, N. C.	2,870
Miss Ethel Crowson, Sumter, S. C.	2,710
Miss Lou Corbett, Wilson, N. C.	4,045
Miss Erma Deans, Colerain, N. C.	2,395
Miss Willie Edwards, Rocky Mount	2,300
Miss Nellie Fussell, Roseville, N. C.	3,680
Mrs. C. B. Hassell, Williamston, N.C.	2,740
Miss Mattie ..., Chocowinity, N. C.	2,895
Miss Gussie Hood, Sumter, S. C.	2,965
Miss Mary Hardison, Rocky Mount	2,490
Miss Jessie Holmes, Rocky Mount	2,295
Miss Lizzie Jones, Clyde, N. C.	4,690
Miss Flin Jackson, Cheraw, S. C.	2,410
Miss Ethel Lucas, Lucama, N. C.	2,660
Miss Lucy McCracken, Clyde, N. C.	4,345
Miss Emily Morton, Walstonburg,	2,290
Miss Ethel Malone, Chocowinity	3,915
Miss Florence Milliken, Worthville	4,660
Miss Lessie Overton, Stokes, N. C.	2,160
Miss Mamie Powers, Oriental, N. C.	2,240
Miss Mary Philips, Battleboro, N. C.	7,280
Miss Rena Potts, Davidson, N. C.	2,510
Miss Minnie Paris, Rocky Mount, N. C.	2,000
Miss Susie Ross, Stokes, N. C.	5,235
Miss Lucile Rose, Rocky Mount, N. C.	2,890
Miss Bettie Snipes, Mebane, N. C.	3,060
Miss Annie Savage, Pinetops, N. C.	2,990
Miss Bedie Silverthorn Scranton, N. C.	2,095
Miss Irene Smathers, Clyde, N. C.	7,815
Miss Janie Thompson, Pantego, N.C.	2,085
Miss Lena Tyson, Scranton, N. C.	3,970
Miss Mattie Welch, Edison, N. C.	4,295
Miss Agnes Wood, Graham, N. C.	2,240
Mrs. Rosella Whitley, Elm City	3,005
Miss Ruby Young, Wilson, N. C.	2,695

DISTRICT II.

Counties of Roteson, Scotland, Richmond, Moore, Lee, Anson, in North Carolina; Marion and Marlborough counties in South Carolina.

Mrs. Joe Thompson, Lumberton	17,575
Miss Elizabeth Wishart, Lumberton	12,050
Mrs. M. M. Singletary, Lumberton	11,490
Miss Ethel Hammond, Laurinburg	9,780
Miss Janie Stubbs, Clio, S. C.	8,610
Miss Fannie Gilliam, Sanford, N. C.	7,930
Miss Hattie Cullins, Mullins, S. C.	7,920
Miss Annie Brewer, McColl, S. C.	7,840
Miss Bessie Gordon, Hamlet, N. C.	7,695
Miss Nannie Jackson, Carthage, N. C.	6,325
Miss Rosa McMillan, Red Springs	6,270
Miss Alfie Pearsall, Red Springs	6,285
Miss Gusie Mitchell, Fairmont,	3,000
Miss Eva Moore, Wadesboro, N. C.	5,450
Miss Virginia Stanback, Mangum	4,990
Miss M. Foxworth, Britton's Neck, S. C.	5,000
Miss Mabel Muse, Cameron, N. C.	4,945
Miss Kate McAllister, Pee Dee, N. C.	4,910
Miss Nannie Heggie, Mullins, S. C.	4,760
Miss Emma King, Stanford, N. C.	4,680
Miss Lizzie Yarboro, Jonesboro	7,360
Miss Aileen Crowder, Beachland, N. C.	4,610
Miss Mary McNeil, Vass, N. C.	4,290
Miss Bert Kelley, So. Pines, N. C.	6,065
Miss Evelyn Diggs, Rockingham, N. C.	4,240
Miss Lillian Fonveille, Lumberton	3,310
Miss Ola Bostick, Britton's Neck, S. C.	5,425
Miss Lennie Beacham, Polkton, N. C.	3,745
Mrs. Bergie Bricker, Polkton, N. C.	2,280
Miss Lucie Bilyen, So. Pines	3,090
Miss Katie Brown, Red Springs, N.C.	2,180
Miss Ada Barry, Sanford, N. C.	4,095
Miss Mary Copeland, Jonesboro	3,870
Miss Bessie Cameron, Jonesboro, N.C.	2,060
Miss Lilly Dairymple, Jonesboro	2,680
Miss Josie Doub, Jonesboro, N. C.	2,060
Miss Effie Davis, Red Springs, N. C.	3,980
Miss Ida Frye, Carthage, N. C.	2,680
Miss Clennie Graham, Red Spgs, N.C.	2,040
Miss Pattie Gaitly, Rowland, N. C.	2,615
Miss Reba Harley, Gibson, N. C.	4,010
Miss Cary Howard, Sanford, N. C.	2,200
Miss Bessie Laughlin, Broadway, N.C.	2,910
Miss Kate McLean, Keyser, N. C.	3,060
Miss Josie McNeill, Lumberton, N. C.	2,080
Miss Sadie McKenzie, Lumberton, N.C.	2,500
Miss Nannie Morris, Swan Sta'n	3,970
Miss Flaussa Na Pier, Polkton, N. C.	1,645
Miss Virginia Pillow, Hamlet, N. C.	2,790
Miss Carrie McNeill, Red Spgs, N. C.	2,205
Miss Annie Price, Rockingham, N. C.	2,980
Miss Annie Roper, Laurinburg, N.C.	2,310
Mrs. Hugh R. Smith, Pee Dee, N. C.	5,980
Miss Polly Smith, Mullins, S. C.	2,660
Miss Hattie Seawell, Carthage, N. C.	2,995
Miss Emma Taylor, Sanford, N. C.	3,940
Miss Mitchell Waddell, Carthage, N.C.	2,040
Miss Mildred Williams, Sanford, N. C.	2,340
Miss Clara Womble, Sanford, N. C.	2,030

DISTRICT III.

Counties of Brunswick, Columbus, Bladen, Sampson, Cumberland, Harnett and Johnston, in North Carolina; Horry and Florence counties, in South Carolina.

Miss Charlotte Adkins, Southport	20,025
Miss Blannie Baldwin, Whiteville	16,490
Mrs. L. W. Strickland, Stedman, N. C.	15,085
Mrs. W. T. Porter, Emerson, N. C.	15,080
Miss Frances Sedberry, Fayetteville	12,960
Miss Kiddie Hinnant, Kenly, N. C.	12,490
Miss Louise Sloan, Little Rivers	11,980
Miss Ruth White, Shallotte, N. C.	11,615
Miss Kate Smith, Elkton, N. C.	10,680
Mrs. A. W. Jenkins, Jr., Fair Bluff N. C.	10,360
Miss Pearl Blum, Little River, S. C.	10,340
Mrs. E. M. Nance, Fair Bluff, N. C.	10,025
Mrs. Maggie McEachan, Vineland	10,045
Mrs. Nicie Powell, Bladenboro, N. C.	9,480
Miss Nellie Clarke, Manchester, N. C.	9,005
Miss Maude Clarke, Clarkton, N. C.	8,465
Miss Laura Dell Clark, Clarkton	8,415
Miss Nannie Britts, Conway, S. C.	8,115
Miss Lala McQueen, Loris, S. C.	7,845
Miss Alice Johnson, Raeford, N. C.	6,700
Miss Flossie Gerald, Dunn, N. C.	6,410
Miss Kate Gaster, Fayetteville, N. C.	6,285
Miss Elise Jordan, Conway, S. C.	6,200
Mrs. R. G. Ivey, Conway, S. C.	5,910
Mrs. Clara Shaw, Elizabethtown, N. C.	5,335
Miss Jewell Hall, Benson, N. C.	5,980
Miss Bessie Baldwin, Whiteville, N. C.	5,065
Mrs. Carrie Butler, Loris, S. C.	4,970
Miss Helen Wright, Boardman	5,140
Miss Meta Barrington, Dunn, N. C.	4,910
Miss Kate Sinclair, Fayetteville, N. S.	4,290
Miss Rea Swain, Suburb, N. C.	6,840
Miss Flora Cromartie, Garland, N. C.	3,940
Miss Mary Burris, Southport, N. C.	3,740
Miss Eva Spell, Rosebore, N. C.	3,995
Miss Ethel Sutton, Dunn, N. C.	3,985
Mrs. R. S. Altman, Savage, S. C.	3,985
Miss Annie Aycock, Kenly, N. C.	2,410
Miss Mary Allen, Bolton, N. C.	3,260
Miss Bessie Blue, Raeford, N. C.	2,460
Miss Bertha Benton, Vineland, N. C.	2,000
Miss Margaret Crowson, Fayetteville	2,410
Miss Mildred Edwards, Chadbourn	2,425
Miss Mattie Gore, Longs, S. C.	2,770
Miss Beula Grimes, Raeford, N. C.	2,060
Mrs. J. A. Hufham, Bladenboro, N. C.	6,290
Mrs. N. G. Hayville, Florence, S. C.	3,240
Miss Helen Hand, Chadbourn, N. C.	2,310
Mrs. E. W. Jones, Chalotte, N. C.	2,420
Eva Lanhon, Benson, N. C.	3,870
Miss Clyda Lee, Benson, N. C.	2,340
Miss Mattie McLaughlin, Raeford	7,080
Miss Ireue Memory, Whiteville, N. C.	2,760
Miss Fodie Melvin, White Oak, N. C.	2,915
Mrs. C. F. Powell Conway, S. C.	2,210
Miss Ivey Pearson, Dunn, N. C.	2,410
Miss Rebecca Perritt, Florence, S. C.	2,420
Miss Caddie Purvis, Dunn, N. C.	2,295
Miss Ivey Porter, Lisbon, N. C.	2,810
Miss Ethel Pennington, Princeton,	2,485
Miss L. A. Russell, Vineland, N. C.	2,490
Miss R. Ramsbottom, Chadbourn, N.C.	2,060
Mrs. G. M. Scott, Fayetteville, N. C.	2,460
Miss Mary Register, Elizabethtown	4,275
Miss Mary Ryals, Benson, N. C.	2,000
Miss Bessie Stephens, Dunn, N. C.	2,460
Mrs. H. L. Singleton, Loris, S. C.	2,995
Miss Henrietta Shaw, Clarkton, N.C.	2,310
Miss Camella White, Scapp's, N. C.	4,710
Miss Katie Wall, Clayton, N. C.	2,490
Miss May D. Wooten, Charbourn	2,695
Miss M. Youngblood, Fayetteville, N.C	2,000
Miss Martha Simmons, Mintz, N. C.	2,025

DISTRICT IV.

New Hanover county outside of Wilmington; also counties of Pender, Onslow, Duplin, Jones, Craven, Carteret, Lenoir and Wayne, North Carolina.

Miss Neenah Woods, Delgado	39,615
Miss Gertrude Bryan, Scott's Hill	15,460
Miss Aldine Best, Warsaw	19,665
Miss Pearle Warters, Newbern	11,045
Miss Annie Randolph, Kinston	8,370
Miss Ethel Clough, Rowdens	5,115
Miss Addie Warrick, Goldsboro	4,790
Miss Manie Johnson, Goldsboro	7,215
Miss May Barry, Pollocksville	4,070
Miss Laurie Grady, Dudley	3,970
Miss Sallie G. Carroll, Magnolia	3,665
Miss Ethel Hancock, Newbern	3,260
Miss Katie Page, Teachey's	7,010
Miss Addie Albritton, Pikeville	2,680
Miss Ethel Armstrong, Newbern	2,410
Miss Pattie Aaron, Mt. Olive	4,510
Miss Bertie Beeton, Eureka	2,975
Miss Addie Balance, Freemont	2,090
Miss C. Cameron, Castle Haynes	2,865
Mrs. R. L. Carr, Magnolia	2,765
Miss Susie Canady, Magnolia	2,010
Miss Jessie Dempsey, Wallace	4,075
Miss Lucie Dixon, Kinston	2,980
Miss Lillian Dunn, Kinston	2,710
Miss Essie Edwards, Goldsboro	2,660
Miss Adelaide Ford, Wrightsville	2,545
Miss Charlotte Fennell, Wrightsville	2,870
Miss Joe Hewitt, Maysville	2,760
Mrs. John Hosea, Pikeville	2,660
Miss Bettie Harker, Morehead City	2,660
Miss Elizabeth Hicks, Faison	7,895
Miss Hilda Jacobs, Newbern	2,375
Miss Effie Johnson, Kenansville	2,910
Miss Ellen McPhail, Mt. Olive	2,010
Miss Mildred Murrill, Jacksonville	8,495
Miss Geneva Moore, Burgaw	2,915
Miss Lula Mallard, Trenton	2,610
Miss Ida Lee Middleton, Goldsboro	2,380
Miss Sallie Parrott, Kinston	2,000
Miss Rosalie Sawyer, Eureka	2,905
Miss Daisy Stanley, Swansboro	4,945
Miss May Swindell, Morehead City	2,610
Miss Bessie Stanton, Wrightsville	2,440
Miss Augusta Thompson, Faison	2,960
Miss Mary Turner, Newbern	2,460
Miss Fannie Wilson, Warsaw	2,285
Miss Glennie Willis, Newbern	2,775
Blanche Worsley, Warsaw, N. C.	2,375

DISTRICT V.

That portion of the city of Wilmington north of Princess street.

Mrs. J. H. Nigget	51,725
Miss Cystys Meredith	26,310
Miss Louise Powers	25,045
Miss Marion Summerell	21,110
Miss Gordon Thomson	21,035
Miss Janie Dudley	14,170
Miss Hortence Strickland	13,540
Mrs. M. L. Cox	13,060
Miss Johanna Rehder	13,010
Mrs. A. B. Sandlin	10,495
Miss Edna LeNier	8,420
Miss Helen Bright	8,040
Miss Emily Yeager	7,590
Miss Lottie Conway	7,490
Miss Gaynelle Nixon	7,490
Miss Annie Lockfaw	7,390
Mrs. Owen Smith	7,390
Miss Lucile Burkheimer	5,960
Miss Maud ...dson	5,780
Miss Fannie Grainger	5,780
Miss Josephine Swan	5,095
Miss Lilias Queich	5,295
Miss Ruth Pleasants	4,790
Miss Mary Worth	4,620
Miss Marguerite Bergen	4,380
Miss Pearl Hayes	6,870
Mrs. R. H. Jarman	4,695
Miss Grace Darden	2,410
Miss Monie Bullock	4,995
Miss Annie Banks	2,490
Miss Rosa Maie Furlong	2,260
Miss Louise Geisher	2,095
Mrs. N. L. Bissinger	3,300
Mrs. Geo. Grant	2,000
Miss Lillian Vaughn	4,980
Miss Lena Bell Royles	2,210
Miss Annie M. Gore	2,015
Miss Maggie Smith	2,360
Miss Mamie Lossen	2,810
Miss Ruby Biggs	4,385
Miss Rosa Moore	2,460
Mrs. Alice McInnerney	2,480
Miss Addie Brewer	4,695
Miss Alberta Creasy	2,445
Miss Fannie Chasten	2,000
Miss Katie Ford	3,190
Miss Lucy McIntosh	2,440
Miss Mary Post	2,660
Miss Hazel Black	2,380
Miss Lottie Frink	6,595
Miss Maude Frink	2,090
Miss Ollie Rembert	2,290
Miss Annie Leah Mercer	2,495
Miss Katherine Von Glahn	4,215
Miss Vashti Pigford	2,490
Miss Hazel Howie	6,810
Miss Rosa Lorenzo	2,495
Miss Janie Elmore	2,970
Miss Genevieve Dushan	2,970
Miss Josephine Harriss	2,695
Miss Maria Morrison	2,995
Miss Adelaide Keith	3,040
Miss Emma Hazel King	3,045
Miss Laura W. Reid	2,685
Miss Ursula Willis	2,065
Miss Lula Conway	2,260
Mrs. C. J. Roberts	2,285
Mrs. G. P. Williams	2,745
Miss Katie Clements	2,910
Miss Mary Houston	2,380
Miss Annie Murray	2,525
Miss Frances Carroll	2,060
Miss Mamie Godwin	2,475
Miss Lucile Page	2,120

DISTRICT VI.

That portion of the city of Wilmington south of Princess street.

Miss Ellie B. White	51,895
Miss Lena Simmons	30,245
Miss Margaret King	28,845
Miss Hattie King	19,615
Miss Athalia Bunting	14,580
Miss Mary Bayden	14,380
Miss Billie Southerland	13,040
Miss Eliza Collins	12,830
Miss Eva Kaminsky	11,680
Miss Margaret Kingsbury	4,605
Miss Gladys Carter	7,280
Miss Dorothy Cheek	7,240
Miss Emma Lee Galloway	7,050
Miss Sadie Lindquist	7,045
Miss Ollie Mojer	6,490
Miss Lillian Allan	6,395
Miss Lillian Davis	5,580
Miss May Kingsbury	5,465
Miss Willie Fergus	4,995
Miss Bessie Herst	4,685
Miss Elizabeth Bullard	4,090
Miss Margaret Dukes	4,010
Miss Gay King	3,880
Miss Vernell Huband	3,845
Miss Annie Griffith	3,405
Miss Myrtle Skipper	3,290
Miss Mollie Holton	3,280
Miss Esther Newton	3,065
Miss Mary Louise Stover	3,970
Miss Catherine Manning	2,490
Miss Sophia Kohler	2,670
Miss Lottie Fergus	3,960
Miss Alberta Smith	2,795
Miss Berta Cox	2,670
Miss Louise Snead	2,640
Miss Maggie Hall	2,110
Miss Effie Mason	2,790
Miss Nellie Cammarar	3,045
Miss Lettie Taylor	2,395
Miss Dena Gore	2,260
Miss Nellie Dooley	2,780
Miss Jennie Murchison	2,660
Miss Gertrude Sneed	2,415
Miss Julia Faison	2,480
Miss Mable Vineburg	2,060
Miss Anna Ray Weeks	2,095
Miss Ida Harowitz	3,205
Miss Marie Causley	2,260
Miss Emmie Belle LeGwin	2,780
Miss Emma Lassen	5,005
Miss Ethel May Solomon	2,790
Miss Emily Westbrook	4,035
Miss Goldie Grimth	2,995
Miss Alma Jones	3,765
Miss Lillian McEachern	2,565
Miss Cornelia Fleet	2,390
Miss Mary Jackson	2,365
Miss Miriam McClanmay	2,160
Miss Elizabeth Sale	2,460
Miss Adelaide Worth	3,005
Miss Cora Bell Blair	2,415
Miss Katie Lee Merriman	2,160
Miss Elenor Harriss	2,825
Miss Gladys O'Keefe	2,150
Miss Elsie Risley	2,060
Miss Janie Branch	3,485
Miss Myrtle Clements	2,810
Mrs. C. H. Beardsley	2,175
Miss Lizzie Chadwick	2,225
Miss Margaret Cretean	3,470
Miss Katie Neigh	2,035
Miss Elma Coston	2,015
Miss Edna Davis	2,005
Miss Ruth King	2,005

BOYS CONTEST.

DISTRICT I.

Paul Hammond, Wilmington	44,700
Ivar Palmgren	39,955
Claude Cheers	39,570
Samuel Behrends	27,600
W. L. West, Jr.	22,890
Robert Kingsbury	14,600
Harris Stone	13,495
John Hayes	9,370
Jack Cranmer	9,360
Murray Grant	7,930
William Bremer	7,645
Arthur Savage	6,990
Baxter Rogers	6,845
Edward Johnson	5,760
Theodore Hasbagen	5,465
George Petherbridge	5,295
Charlie Nixon	4,755
Clayton King	4,580
Henry Richter	4,550
Sheldon Mitchell	4,315
Robert Snakenberg	4,310
Raymond O'Keefe	3,890
Farley Hay	3,870
Maglin Floyd	3,810
John Boesch	3,685
Norman Shepard	3,145
H. J. Haar	3,070
Armistead Mercer	3,030
Elmer Lundy	2,220
W. R. Hay	2,450
Earl Bonshee	3,090
Jas. W. Jackson, Jr.	2,755
Harry Kenan	2,670
Kenneth Partin	2,980
Henry Sneed	2,655
Archie Warren, Jr.	2,785
James Woolvin	3,070
Arthur Beach	2,280
Allen Norwood	3,680
Edgar Williams	2,680
Marion Rhodes	3,040
Goodwn Davis	2,690
Thomas B. Woods	2,355
Geo. Bland	2,010
Robt. DeRosset, Jr.	2,155
James Howard	2,005
Joe Starkey	2,005
Marsden DeRossett	2,525
B. J. Bryan, Jr.	2,625
T. W. Bennett	2,005
Rudolph Dixon	2,320

DISTRICT II.

Hal Brown, Fairmont, N. C.	16,245
George W. Mauers, Putnam, N. C.	9,370
Loy M. Seawell, Putnam, N. C.	7,530
De Bernia Debriam, Selma, N. C.	7,430
L. H. Maslow, Burgess, C.	7,240
Jamie McQueen, Dunbar, S. C.	7,296
Walter Bowden, Lumberton, N. C.	7,215
Archie Lewis, Gallivant's Ferry, S. C.	7,010
Jefferson Barefoot, Benson, N. C.	6,520
Dosher Ruark, Southport, N. C.	6,510
Earl Underwood, Sanford, N. C.	6,480
John R. Sloan, Sanford, N. C.	6,280
Kessler Johnson, Lumber Bridge	6,200
Murdock McRae, Maxton, N. C.	5,230
Ogden Phillips, McFarlan, N. C.	5,790
Smith Stubbs, Dillon, S. C.	5,650
H. Thompson, Wampee, S. C.	5,360
Carr Sutherlind, Wallace, N. C.	5,045
John Barham, Jr., Green Sea, S. C.	4,960
Charlie Bell, N. Harlowe, N. C.	4,940
J. Shepard Bryan, Scott's Hill, N. C.	4,810
Oscar Clark, Clarkton	5,995
Joe Hellowell, Newbern, N. C.	4,665
Lewis Shelley, Lumberton, N. C.	5,095
William Sheetz, Fayetteville, N. C.	4,565
Wilbur Williamson, Bladenboro	4,090
Preston Collins, Maysville, N. C.	4,090
Douglas Ivey, Dillon, S. C.	4,060
Carr Herrington, Newport, N. C.	3,890
Ezra Baldwin, Whiteville, N. C.	3,855
Joe Stephens, Dunn, N. C.	3,765
Probert Hall, Mt. Olive, N. C.	3,685
John Burham, Jr., Green Sea, S. C.	3,460
Wm. Burris, Southport	3,270
Archibald Black, Ivanhoe, N. C.	4,165
Garland Nicholson, Richland, N. C.	2,870
C. L. Abernathy, Beaufort, N. C.	2,260
M. T. Davis, Beaufort, N. C.	2,390
Everett Winton, Society Hill, S. C.	2,690
George Griggs, Society Hill, S. C.	2,315
Walker Matlock, Maysville, N. C.	2,740
Paul Lee, Benson, N. C.	2,670
Ralph Hauser, Morehead City, N. C.	2,085
William Carr, Wallace, N. C.	2,090
Carl Jerriggan, Dunn, N. C.	2,640
Drexel Holt, Princeton, N. C.	2,340
Ben Hassell, Selma, N. C.	2,210
John Steele, Fayetteville, N. C.	2,785
M. B. Kellihan, Cerro Gordo, N. C.	3,060
Clarence Carter, Cerro Gordo, N. C.	2,165
C. W. Teal, McFarlan, N. C.	2,290
Warren Winslow, Goldsboro, N. C.	3,960
George Sutherland, Goldsboro, N. C.	2,640
W. W. Miller, Rocky Mount, N. C.	2,965
Ardry Costeen, Rocky Point, N. C.	2,040
T. H. Herman, Kenly, N. C.	2,310
Ed Newton, Southport, N. C.	2,105
Willie Hinstus, Clio, S. C.	2,165
LeRoy Jackson, Dillon, S. C.	2,045
J. H. Hamilton, Bayboro, S. C.	2,010
George Johnson, Gallivant's Ferry,	2,315
Clarence Hammond, Hamlet, N. C.	2,060
Tom Blount, Elm City, N. C.	2,790
Linard Jardan, Elm City, N. C.	2,090
Seymore Hancock, Newbern, N. C.	3,390
William Scott, Mullins, S. C.	2,985
James Platt, Mullins, S. C.	2,740
Roscoe Wood, Wampee, S. C.	2,160
Thomas Dupree, Greenville, N. C.	2,410
Henry Hill, Ausonville, N. C.	2,260
Carl Gliddens, Clinton, N. C.	2,080
Harrington Hobbs, Clinton, N. C.	2,010
Leo Spivey, Gallivant's Ferry, S. C.	2,095
Mat Johnson, Burgess, S. C.	2,090
E. C. Williams, Greenville, N. C.	2,595
James Bridges, Bladenboro, N. C.	2,090
Kenneth Crow, Mt. Olive, N. C.	2,210
C. C. Morgan, Mt. Olive, N. C.	2,160
C. M. Lupo, Green Sea, N. C.	2,895
A. M. Howell, Pikeville, N. C.	2,360
Joseph Hollowell, Newbern, N. C.	2,050
John Gore, Long's S. C.	2,005

RACING BALLOONS LOCATED.

Germania Heading Toward Ontario.—Two Forced to Descend.

St. Louis, October 18.—Heading straight for Ontario, across the Great Lakes, along the best balloon route in America, Captain von Abercron, a German pilot, with his balloon Germania, is believed tonight to be leading in the International race for the James Gordon Bennett cup. Ten balloons started from St. Louis late yesterday and so far as reported, eight are still sailing.

Somewhere within the radius of 100 miles, over Lake Huron, dispatches indicate that the America II, the St. Louis No. 4, the Helvetia, The Azurea, the Isle de France, the Harburg III, and the Dusseldorf II, are keeping close company with the leader.

The Dusseldorf II. passed Reed City, Mich., at 6 o'clock tonight. Pilot Gericke came low enough to ask the way and then ascended, traveling northeast.

Six balloons are reported to have crossed Michigan and others are thought to be either flying across Lake Huron, or to have passed it into Canada.

S. Louis von Phul, in the Million Population Club, one of the three American entrants, was forced to descend this morning at 7:25 o'clock, because of a lack of ballast. The French balloon, Condor, Pilot Jacques Faure, landed four miles north of Two Rivers, Wis., late today.

First big Democratic rally of the campaign tonight. Senator Overman and Attorney General Bickett speak at Third and Market streets at 8 o'clock.*

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WILMINGTON AND THE CENSUS.

Words of Cheer from Charlotte and Newbern Contemporaries.

(Chralotte Chronicle.)

Our good friends, The Morning Star and The Evening Dispatch, are talking quite appreciatively about The Chronicle and its sentiments toward Wilmington. The Chronicle confesses to much affection for that town by reason of the friends it has there, but outside of that, it takes pride in Wilmington as the chief seaport of the State and the great possibilities for its development. It is the natural funnel through which the commerce of all North Carolina should be floated to the markets of the world. This development of the port of Wilmington comes into more importance as the completion of the Panama Canal draws near. It is now a question whether this State is going to send its commerce through Charleston and New Orleans, or through its home port. The business done through the port of Wilmington means the keeping of that much money at home. To the end that Wilmington may be made the greatest floater through the Panama Canal of any port of the Atlantic coast, the State should unite with the efforts of that town. Co-operation by the State will result in the deepening of the channel from Wilmington to the sea. That will give larger ships and larger cargoes. The next step, should be the encouragement, by county bonds, of each and every railroad headed in the direction of Wilmington and Southport. Isn't that a truth? Wilmington is going to have the deeper channel and more ships. It is the duty of the State to do what it can in the matter of helping more railroads to reach that port. Wilmington is now a mere town to what it could be made within the next ten years. A little State pride is what it is now in need of.

(Newbern Journal.)

The census bureau returns gives Wilmington 25,784. What of this it might be asked. An increase of 22.7 per cent. in population is a good growth in population for a city that has had many local conditions to overcome before it could expect an increase that would be startling in its percentage of population growth. The investor or new comer does not consider the advantages of any town or city from its population as they do from the trade interests showing of the place. Again, taking Wilmington, if its census record increase looks small, what of the trade, of the business? A few things are of special interest, showing how the business has increased during the last decade, of these, personal property valuation, 150 per cent. Post office receipts, 247 per cent. Exports 98 per cent. Imports 2,949 per cent. Custom house receipts, 270 per cent. Miles improved streets 320 per cent. Banking capital and surplus 273 per cent. Banking deposits, 140 per cent. Bank resources 260 per cent. Here are figures that are far more impressive to an investor than even a 50 per cent. increase of population would have been. The Journal does not look for an astonishing population gain for Newbern, yet in those things that make up for material growth and municipal advancement, this city, during the past ten years, has made immense gains.

AFFAIRS AT WHITEVILLE.

Transcontinental Again—Congressman Godwin's Chance—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Oct. 18.—A letter received in Whiteville from Col. S. A. Jones, of Waynesville, N. C., promoter of the Trans-Continental Railroad, to be built from Knoxville to Southport, says he has everything now in shape to begin work, and will shortly invite some public spirited gentlemen from this section to see just what they are doing, that they may know the company means business. Col. Jones writes most encouragingly of his prospects for a completion of the road as fast as men and money can do he work.

Mrs. Foreman, formerly of Wilmington, who has had charge of the Columbus Hotel, will resign, as her health will not permit her to stand the work. Mr. Foreman left last Friday for your city. It is not known who Manager High will get in Mrs. Foreman's place, but he has several parties in view. Mrs. Foreman is a most worthy lady, and has made many friends during her stay in Whiteville.

A friend of Congressman Godwin's who spent several days last week in New Hanover, looking over the political situation, says he made a careful investigation of both the city and county, and there will be between 50 and 75 disgruntled Democrats who will vote for Mr. Meares, but for every vote Mr. Godwin loses he will gain two from the Republican side. His prediction is that Godwin will carry New Hanover by the largest Democratic majority ever polled in that county.

Mrs. Murdock Frazier, aged nearly 80 years, died at her home in Vineland Saturday. Her mother came direct from Scotland, but the deceased lived all her life here. Her husband was once one of the most noted buggy makers in the State, and survives the wife.

The cutting affray referred to Sunday in the Star occurred about three miles from Cerro Gordo, between that town and Fair Bluff. R. D. Willoughby cut Conley Floyd very severely, inflicting three deep and long gashes in the arm, and severing the leaders in his right hand, destroying the use of that arm, so physicians say. They are both prominent men. Floyd had a preliminary hearing Saturday and was bound over to court. Lawyers have been employed on both sides, and much feeling is manifested.

Garrett & Co., of Norfolk, Va., is arranging to start the work in Columbus county of encouraging the scuppernong business, and will do much missionary work in that line. It is designed to make the grape business in Columbus county rival its strawberry crop.

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Is Electricity Cheaper Than Oil.

The following article which appeared in this week's issue of the Literary Digest, gives some very interesting figures showing the cost of electricity for lighting as compared with oil:

While this may seem an idle question to those who have always regarded electricity as an expensive luxury, yet a good case for an affirmative answer is made out by Popular Electricity (Chicago, October) by calculating the cost on a basis of candle power and taking into account effective distribution. Says this paper:

"Do you remember grandmother's kindly dictum? 'Better light the oil lamp, dear. It is cheaper. There was reason for it, coming in the bygone years when everything electrical was much dearer than now and when even rough figuring showed that lighting by oil lamps was cheaper than by incandescents. Since that time the cost of current has steadily decreased, but thanks to the Standard Oil Company the price of oil has also gone down, so how do the two compare now?

"In grandmother's day the comparison was merely as to the amount of light obtained at the lamp at the same cost, for the use of reflecting and diffusing mediums was then practically unknown. Today all logical comparisons must be as to the effective lighting on tables, counters, desks, or in show windows; in other words, what comparative illumination can be obtained from each illuminant for the same money?

"Theoretically, according to one of our leading authorities on illumination, Dr. Louis Bell, a gallon of the highest grade of kerosene burned in the most improved type of lamp will give 800 candle hours, which means that it will supply a 20-candle power lamp 40 hours. To obtain the same 20 candle power in a tungsten lamp (requiring 25 watts) for the 40 hours would take 40 times 25 watt hours, or just a kilowatt hour. Therefore, a gallon of the best kerosene can give theoretically as much light as a kilowatt hour of current. In practice the common grades of oil fall from 10 to 30 per cent. shy of the best grade, so that it will take about 1 1-4 gallons of oil to equal a kilowatt hour of current in the light obtained at the lamp."

But when it comes to effective light at the places where it is needed, the writer goes on to say, a 20-candle oil lamp is by no means equal to a 20-candle power incandescent. The large oil reservoir and chimney are always in the way, and interfere with the effective use of reflectors. On the other hand, tugsten lamps may be used in any position, and by reflectors the useful illumination may easily be twice that from oil lamps of the same candle power. In some classes of work such as show-window lighting, the proportion is as high as four to one. We read further:

"Allowing for the commercial kerosene, which is below the grade on which Dr. Bell based his figures, this means that it will take anywhere from two and one-half to five gallons of oil to give the same illumination as a kilowatt hour of current. Thus at Chicago, where kerosene retails at 13 cents per gallon, oil lamps would be effectively as cheap as the incandescents if the current for different classes of indoor lighting costs from 32 1-2 to 65 cents per kilowatt hour, or an average of perhaps 40 cents. As a matter of fact, it costs less than a third of this rate, so that even the much less efficient carbon filament lamps figure out cheaper in service than kerosene lamps.

"Besides, the incandescent lamps can be instantly turned on and off, thus saving wasteful times of burning, and they do not have the other annoying features of the kerosene lamp; the labor of cleaning and filling lamps, the difficulty of keeping them from smoking if exposed to drafts, the fire risk in lighting them, the vitiation of the air both by the smell or fumes and by consuming oxygen, or the much greater radiation of heat (for what is the ordinary oil stove but an overgrown kerosene lamp?) If the lighting costs were equal, these objections would count seriously against the kerosene lamp, but with our modern high-efficiency incandescent lamps we have so far outstripped the oil in economy of operation that we can simply disregard its handicaps and look upon it merely as an interesting, but now outgrown factor in the historical development of illuminants."

In making the comparison the electric lighting cost is based on a charge of 40 cents per kilowatt hour. As the rate for electric current in Wilmington is less than 10 cents per kilowatt hour, it will be readily seen that electric lighting is very much cheaper per candle power than oil lighting.

RESPECTS TO THOS. SETTLE.

Dr. Faison is Sparing Not The Rod—Republican Inconsistencies.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Jacksonville, N. C., Oct. 18—Since the Hon. Thos. Settle has invaded the district of Dr. John M. Faison, Democratic Congresional nominee in the Third District, Dr. Faison has not hesitated in a speech yet to pay his respects to the distinguished mountaineer. Speaking of the Hon. Tom Dr. Faison said;

"Hon. Thos. Settle, of Asheville, the son of a distinguished father has been in this, the third N. C. district, preaching Local Self Government. But as usual he could not tell what it meant as it is so foreign to a North Carolina radical nature. If we mistake not, the Hon. Tom tried to break into a Federal judgesnip way down in the State of Florida last year. Failing in this, he atempted to land the Eastern North Carolina Federal Judgeship and got in Col. Iredell Meares' way. Failing again, as he too, "like the faithful" was sadly among the "unfittin" who called at the White House, he has recently landed in a special attorneyship way up in New York State, which belongs to that State and yet he is still preaching Local Self Government in this district. It's enough to make a mule laugh. The Hon. Tom, we understand, voted for the suffrage amendment in 1900 and we had hoped that such love for his great native State would reclaim him but like the little boy, he has worn out his pants both "at the knees praying, and in the seat by blacksliding" until now he is only the political wet-nurse of Mary Ann and the distinguished name of his father will pass into oblivion we fear. But he is a fair sample of a latter day local self government (?) N. C. Radical who has not heard that Maine went "Hell Bent". Good bye, Tommie Settle, you had better hurry to New York State lest your local self government (?) "flatform" debar you fromoffice in New York, because th- white people of North Carolina nave spoken 'agin Mary Ann, the Boud Boodler' (quoted from the Greensboro News) and his henchmen.

Dr. Faison closed his splendid canvass for Democracy here yesterday, flaying his opponent George Butler as usual and the unterrified of old Onslow are on the war path for the greatest victory ever given Nov. 8th. "So mote it be.

DR. LUCAS RETURNED.

Back From Richmond and Not Sulking in His Tent.

Editor Daily Star:—Dr. G. F. Lucas has just returned from Richmond, Va., where he has been for a week on professional business. The doctor is not sulking over the unjust treatment he received at the Burgaw convention, but he, like all his friends, think as a majority of the Democratic voters at the primaries fairly elected him the delegates should have so cast the vote at the county convention.

Dr. Lucas would easily have ranked with Jule Carr, Ashley Horne, Baldy Barden, J. A. Brown and other distinguished sons of North Carolina who will be in the legislature. His defeat is a distinctive loss not only to Pender county, but to the State of North Carolina. R. P. PADDISON.

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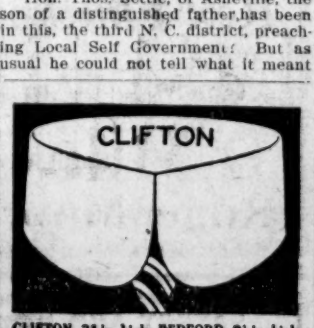

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48	42-86	48-80	a via Petersburg. *Daily	86-49	83-41	49
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 50pm	6 40am	2 50pm
12:36pm	11:05pm	12:36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 40am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12:58pm	5:05am	12:32pm
.....	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	.....
.....	4:00pm	7:05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9:15am	1:40am	.....
5:50pm	8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	8:00pm	*8:15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1:00am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	.....
.....	9:52am	1:15am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11 33am	3:40am	Ar. ..... West Philadelphia ..... Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar. ..... NEW YORK ..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

42-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

48 and 49 carries Pullman Buffet parlor cars between Wilmington and Hamlet connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

55-89	51-83	*Daily	82-50	80-54	
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm	.....
7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9 05pm	8:30am	.....
11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5:05pm	5:20am	.....
2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:20pm	12:35am	.....
11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
9:40am	1:45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 25am	2 05pm	.....
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
7:15am	.....	Ar. ..... JACKSONVILLE ..... Lv.	9:15am	7:25pm	.....
2:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla. ..... Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	.....
7:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
8:55pm	.....	Ar. ..... ST. PETERSBURG ..... Lv.	.....	6:45am	.....
10:20pm	.....	Ar. ..... FORT MYERS ..... Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am	.....

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55	51	*Daily.	32-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:20am	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	6:25pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	6:00am
9:25am	.....	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
7:05am	1:10pm	Lv. ..... Columbia ..... Sou. Ry. Ar.	2:30pm	11:55pm
12:25pm	7:40pm	Ar. ..... Saluda ..... " Lv.	8:45am	5:50pm
1:00pm	8:15pm	Ar. ..... Hendersonville ..... " Lv.	8:05am	5:15pm
2:10pm	9:15pm	Ar. ..... ASHEVILLE ..... " Lv.	*7:00am	4:10pm
7:20pm	.....	Ar. ..... Knoxville ..... " Lv.	.....	7:40am
8:20am	.....	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	.....	8:00am
8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	.....	*8:10pm

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55—SLEEPING CARS Wilmington to Columbia, Columbia to Asheville and Asheville to Louisville and Cincinnati.

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57	51-97	55-95	*Daily	D'ly Sun.	xSun. only.	96.54	98-50	58
7:30pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ... Ar.			1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
9:15pm	7:20am	5:09am	Ar. .... *CHADBOURN .... Lv.			*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:25am
11:10pm	11:50am	x5:15pm	Lv. .. CHADBOURN .... Ar.			7:10am	5:00pm	6:10am
12:45am	1:30pm	6:45pm	Ar. ..... CONWAY .. .. .. Lv.			x5:40am	3:30pm	4:45am

61	53	*Daily.	!Daily ex. Sun.	60	52
6:30pm	*8:45am	Lv .. .. WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.		10:15am	*8:05pm
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Wednesday, October 19th, 1910.

I wish I were able to go from the East to the Tennessee line and tell this message to all the people. I have not long to live. I have children and grandchildren; but I say to you that no stroke of this right hand shall aid in putting the Republican party over these children and grandchildren. I say it because I have tried it in the past and, having tried it in the past and having found nothing but ruin and disgrace, I cannot help but fight it now.—C. B. Watson.

The Roosevelt-Hearst coalition is the issue in New York. The opposition ought to make it unanimous.

A woman astronomer in Massachusetts has discovered a new star. There are few lady astronomers. Most of them are gastronomers.

Is it well with North Carolina? Well, we should say not. Not so long as the Statesman from the Huckleberry Country is given the slightest showing.

"Reconstruction," "fusion," "Mary Ann," "bond boodle," "Butlerism," and "nigger in the woodpile," will make a Republican go foot every time he attends a political spelling bee.

Improvident people who do not raise chickens and hogs for meat production have missed their opportunity during all this high price era. It pays to raise everything that sells at a good price.

"The humblest worm has a turning," remarks the Jacksonville Times-Union philosopher. Even the still worm is sometimes captured while it is turning out something that makes it hard for prohibition to prohibit.

The Republican party is promising the country "prosperity." Nevertheless, the country needn't wait on promises but should go to work like Wilmington and make its own prosperity. Prosperity comes to those who go after it.

Wall Street would like to put a hobble skirt on the Rough Rider. After all he has done for Wall Street in the past? Probably the high financiers have concluded that Roosevelt failed to give them the worth of their campaign money.

Editor R. F. Beasley, campaign publicity man at Democratic headquarters in Raleigh, says "the Democrats in North Carolina are in good fighting trim." Butlerism knows that doesn't mean the "fighting trim" such as illustrated by Massachusetts Democrats.

The rich beneficiaries of the protective tariff vote for it because it enriches them, so it is not necessary for Republicans to use arguments on a class which knows when to vote for its own interests. However, Republicans argue with the poor man to vote a tax on himself so the plutocrats can get it and produce prosperity—for themselves. The idea that a poor man can make a better living by taxing himself and his family needs argument and plenty of it.

Hoxey sounds like the name of a patent medicine, but it isn't. That's the name of the aviator who gave Roosevelt an airing in his aeroplane. While skimming around in the air, the Colonel "waved to the crowd" and Hoxey had to order him to "cut it out," for fear the landlubber might have upset the aircraft while showing off to the muttonheads who were taking in the sight. Had the aeroplane lost its equilibrium on account of the Colonel's act, it would have meant a deathblow to "New Nationalism" and all it stands for. This is, how dangerously near Teddy came to dropping his candy and restoring Wall Street to its equilibrium.

GOOD DEMOCRATIC DOCTRINE.

After having the air fanned by sophistry and buncombe from the Republican standpoint, it is refreshing that tonight we are to have some good sound Democratic doctrine expounded by two of North Carolina's truest and most honored men. Tonight there will be a rally of the Democracy at Third and Market streets, this city, and it is hoped the citizens of Wilmington without regard to politics will be there by the thousands to hear the truth from two of the State's most distinguished public men and loyal sons.

The speakers of the evening will be United States Senator Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, and Attorney General T. W. Bickett, of Raleigh, both of whom are able speakers and are among the Democracy's best orators. The speaking will begin at 8 P. M. and will take place from a stand erected for the occasion. There will be a band of music and Wilmington's leading citizens will be there to greet one of the State's trusted and true representatives in the Senate at Washington, where the force of character and conspicious ability of Senator Overman have so impressed themselves upon the public that he has acquired the reputation of being one of the ablest men in the Senate. Attorney General Bickett is a splendid orator and true-blue North Carolinian, and it is from these two men that North Carolinians will take political advice and not from either home or imported orators who advocate a party which has ruined North Carolina during two melancholly periods when it got into power.

Saturday night a Republican speech was delivered by the Hon. Tom Settle, of Asheville, and he should have known better than to have asked patriotic Carolinians to support a party whose administrations in North Carolina have heretofore brought shame, disgrace and ruin upon the State. Of course, North Carolinians who love their State know how to discriminate when it comes to taking political dope from Settle.

Last night the Hon. Duncan E. McKinlay, of California, visited Wilmington for the purpose of addressing the voters of the city. He spoke at the court house and of his speech and the occasion the local columns of the Star this morning speak. Mr. McKinlay was a conspicious figure in the last Congress and was a member of the "National Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries." He is an orator of repute, and his speeches, of course, present a defense of the Republican party, as that party is now clearly on the defensive. Of course, he explains what used to be the principles of the Republican party, but which are now not practiced very much.

Mr. McKinlay labored to create favor in behalf of the scheme for subsidizing American shipping, or some of it, under the plea that it will build up the American merchant marine. We suppose that sooner or later Congress will do something, or have to do something, to develop American shipping, but it is strange that Americans haven't got self-reliance enough to either engage in the shiping industry or manufacturing enterprises without expecting the masses of the American people to help them make money out of their enterprises.

However, the ship subsidy cuts very little ice in North Carolina when it comes to defeating a dangerous State Republicanism. That is the chief issue before the loyal people of North Carolina. President Taft repudiate it and North Carolina knows how to repudiate it more effectively than did the Republican President.

The insurgent Republicans in Mr. Kinlay's California district attended to his case in the California primaries, and North Carolinians will attend to the entire Republican party in the election in November.

Dr. Rough and Ready Faison seems to be eating 'em alive.

The conscience of North Carolinians will have to answer for it if they don't vote for North Carolina to go right on like she has been going—forward.

The one-legged veteran who is running for an office in New York will have the joke on the ward heelers. He can let them pull his wooden leg.

It would be a good thing for the people and a safe thing for the Nation if we could allude to it as the ex-Republican party after the 8th of November.

The Columbia State remarks: "Women may gamble but they are never such gamblers as to bet each other's hats." Neither will they take chances on getting their hats wet.

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STRAWBERRIES IN OCTOBER.

The Star several days ago, in speaking of the great variety of climate in North Carolina, called attention to the fact that some Summer visitors to the high mountain country in western North Carolina, brought home with them baskets filled with fine strawberries gathered during the latter part of September. These strawberries grew naturally and came on in the season for their production in the high altitude of our great mountain country, whereas strawberries in their season ripen in eastern North Carolina in April and are shipped to the value of a million dollars or more into the Northern markets. The Star's article emphasized the fact that strawberries ripen here in April, and, as the climate changes towards western North Carolina, this delicious fruit comes in season every month from April to September, somewhere in the State.

It has been discovered, however, that there is hardly any limit to seasons for the production of the luscious strawberry. Three crops of strawberries from the same vines in one Summer is the record made near Seattle, Wash., on the ranch of T. H. Salisbury, who picked the first berries from his vines the latter part of April, picked another crop from the same vines early in July and got a third crop during the first week in October. These three berry productions, it is said, are the result of a discovery which was made by Luther Burbank, the plant wizard, but which, it is believed, was the result of accident on the part of some strawberry grower.

Be that as it may, however, a dispatch dated at Seattle, October 8th, gives an interesting account of the process by which Mr. Salisbury was enabled to raise three crops. It is stated that he picked his first berries the latter part of April and as soon as the crop was exhausted he clipped all the foliage from the plants. New foliage immediately sprang up, the vines were soon blossoming and produced a fine crop of berries which ripened in July. The latter week in July Mr. Salisbury again clipped the foliage of his plants, with the result that his third and last crop was ripe the first week in October. The berries of the last crop are said to have been of first-class quality.

Mr. Salisbury explains that after he clips the foliage of the plans he covers them with a foot of straw, leaving it there for three days, to rest the plants. Then he removes the straw and with nitrate of soda or other chemical fertilizers suitable for the purpose, he begins to force a new growth of plants which are soon full of leaves and blossoms that yield berries of the very best quality. If this can be done in the State of Washington we have no doubt work along that line can be eclipsed in eastern North Carolina.

THE OUTLOOK CROOKED?

As soon as the Saratoga convention adjourned Col. Roosevelt informed the press representatives that they could say, "We beat 'em to a frazzle." His first public explanation of the tariff plank adopted at Saratoga was in a speech at the Brooklyn Academy of Music some days after the Convention. In that speech he attempted to resent the newspaper charges concerning his inconsistency in permitting an endorsement of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law to go in the platform of a convention over which he had complete control. This is what he blurted out:

"If I'd been as much in power up there," said the colonel in his quizzical falsetto, "as some of the papers seemed to think at the time I was, I would have written the tariff plank a little differently, but on the whole I think we came out of it very well."

The next we hear of the Colonel's reference to his incomprehensible position on the tariff was in Atlanta. He delivered an address in which he repudiated the tariff plank adopted at Saratoga and declared that if he had been in complete control of the convention that plank would have been different. The statements in Brooklyn and Atlanta are contridictions of his statement at Saratoga that he had "beat 'em to a frazzle." He simply hadn't.

From Atlanta the Colonel went to St. Louis and delivered a speech contradicting what he said in Atlanta, but he insists that he was not in control of the Saratoga convention. On top of that, however, comes "The Outlook," of which the Colonel is contributing editor. The magazine with which Col. Roosevelt is identified most intimately and which was represented at the Saratoga convention, says: "The convention at Saratoga was dominated by Theodore Roosevelt because a majority of the party in the State had chosen to follow his leadership."

The Colonel, having denied what his paper says is true, is in a queer position to dispute what his paper says about it. However, he may have himself written what "The Outlook" says about his controlling the convention. In all probability, therefore, before the conflicting statements of the Colonel and "The Outlook" are straightened out, Col. Roosevelt may have to accuse himself of wilfully placing himself in a false light.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Republicans at Rowland are scarce articles.—Rowland (N. C.) Sun.

Wilmington is finding it convenient to put the loud pedal on its business rather than on its population.—Greensboro Telegram.

"I consider Mr. Dix himself more of a public menace than Mr. Roosevelt," says Mr. Hearst. He is considerably more of a menace to Mr. Hearst.—New York World.

Up State audiences seemed somewhat bored by the Colonel's speeches. Imagine how the press correspondents must feel who have heard them so many times!—New York World.

"Of course Wilmington will have to take it from Charlotte. Just think of it, however, if it had been some bumptious places like Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Durham, or Raleigh."—Wilmington Star. We are not a bit envious of Charlotte or afraid of Wilmington.—Durham Sun.

"Fair exchange is no robbery." Two years ago Iredell Meares, of New Hanover, quit the Democratic party to "jine the Radicals". It took ten columns for him to give his reasons. This year John D. Meares, a Republican of Wilson county, left that party to join the Democratic party. He gave his clear and sound reasons in one-half column space. So each party has Meares.—Raleigh News and Observer.

It seems that we did not make our position clear in regard to the Southbound. The Southbound furnishes the connecting link of 90 miles between the Norfolk & Western, which extends from here through to the West, and the Atlantic Coast Line, which extends from Wadesboro to the coast. Though there are three companies represented, the line will be virtually a through line from the West to the coast.—Winston-Salem Journal.

The Wilmington Star says: "Roosevelt has declined an invitation to include Texas in his trip. He had a right to believe that the Texans only wanted to get him there for exhibition purposes, as so few of them know what a standpat-progressive-insurgent Republican looks like. If Roosevelt is not willing to make trips for exhibition purposes, we hope he will soon learn that no one wants him for anything else and stay at home.—Jacksonville Times Union.

A man may advise you not to be a crook, but that is no guarantee that he is not one himself. People very frequently hand out advise to us and don't practice what they preach themselves. We have to judge a man by what he does instead of by what he says, or by what he advises us to do. There are some illustrious examples of men who can talk through their hats like a man endeavoring to effect the sale of a gold brick.—Wilmington Star.

Marion Butler, for instance.—Durham Sun.

This from the State Republican platform is becoming a little the worse for wear: "When the Republican party has been in power the people have been prosperous; when its control has been threatened or destroyed disaster has come upon us." This is not true either in whole or in any part. The great panics and depressions of 1873-9 came when the Republican party was in power, and was not threatened with loss of power. On the other hand, prosperity prevailed when the Republicans were out of power from 1885 to 1889. This familiar bit of old party claptrap had better be retired.—Springfield Republican.

At Peoria, Ill., Col. Roosevelt said that "no man who is worth his salt will have anything to do with any one of the creatures tainted" in the Lorimer election scandal. Almost at that moment Vice president Sherman was dining at Chicago in company with Senator Lorimer, consequently, we must assume, Mr. Sherman is not worth his salt, in the opinion of the Colonel. Yesterday Col. Roosevelt opened up the campaign in New York with a fiery blast against the Democrats and a personal assurance on his part that the Republican candidate, Henry L. Stimson, is the right sort. At the same time it was announced at Republican headquarters in New York city that Mr. Sherman would speak for the ticket from the same platform with Mr. Stimson. How can the Colonel let his candidate sit and speak around with a man who is not worth his salt?—Charleston Post.

Mr. Marion Butler has been making some speeches in the present campaign and has been quite bitter in his denunciation of anybody who charges that he has done anything in connection with that bond litigation that was not right and proper. He has had a good deal to say at this point about "Democratic lies" seemingly oblivious of the fact that some of the strongest charges made against him have been made, not by Democrats, but by Republican newspapers and Republican voters. Just before the State Republican convention the Greensboro News, a Republican paper, has been exceedingly active ing denunciations upon his head while since the convention, the Asheville Gazette-News, another Republican paper, has been exceedingly active along the same line. If he will consider these and similar facts for a moment Mr. Butler will realize that the revulsion felt at his re-entrance into state politics is not confined to the Democrats but that there are many Republicans also who view with disgust his present efforts to dominate the political situation in North Carolina. They remember his previous career in state politics and want no more of Butlerism, for they realize what it means.—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

Following close upon the news of the opening of bids for the dredging of the Cape Fear river below Wilmington to which we called attention the other day, comes the welcome information that the first link in the great inland waterway which is projected to stretch from Boston to Key West, is nearing completion. For two years dredges working from both ends have been occupied with a canal between Pamlico Sound and Beaufort and the two parties are now within less than a mile of each other, making the completion of their work a matter of a few weeks only. The route taken by this particular canal covers eighteen miles, much of it lying through a pine forest, and the accomplishment of this difficult task means not only a long step towards the Boston-Key West route, but much immediate benefit to the Sound region of this State. "There are 2,700 square miles of navigable rivers in the Sound section of North Carolina, says the Newbern Journal, commenting on this latter phase, "and to all this vast area of water there is no southern outlet, its only navigable outlet having been through the two canal routes leading to Norfolk. With the completion of the new section of the canal there will be a continuous 10-foot channel for navigation inside of Hatteras and through the sounds to Beaufort harbor, Morehead City and the ocean."—Charlotte Observer.

SPEAKING AT ROCKY POINT.

Hon. Rivers D. Johnson Addressed Large Audience in Academy.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C. Oct. 18.—There was to have been a joint debate here at the Academy last night between Mr. Rivers D. Johnson, Democratic nominee for the Tenth Senatorial District, and Mr. R. F. Brooks, Republican nominee for the same office. Every seat in the Academy was taken. Ladies graced the occasion by their presence. Editor Lauchlin McNeill, of the Pender Chronicle, introduced Mr. Johnson, explaining why it was appropriate that the debate should open at this historic place.

Mr. Johnson, who had fought fire all the previous night, his building, library, etc., having been destroyed by fire, said he could not do the occasion justice but he lit out without any abuse and showed to his audience a clear-cut comparison of the records of the two parties from the dark days of Reconstruction to the present hour in a calm dispassionate manner. His speech occupied more than an hour and was almost continually applauded. No fairer political speech was ever delivered in Pender county.

Mr. Johnson at the conclusion of his speech asked if there were any Republicans in his audience and the only one so inclined present was Mr. Brooks. He is only a "nickel-plated Democrat" and did not rise to respond although the ladies present insisted on hearing both sides.

The fact of the mater was the Rivers D., completely overflowed the Brooks and obliterated it's course, meander ings and exit.

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Boys' blue serge Knickerbocker Suits, $4.00 values, 8 to 17, this week..... $3.48
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$1.25 baby Teddy Bear Blankets, blue and pink, this week only..... 98c
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SAILORS ARE HEAVILY FINED

Trial of Men Relative to Whom Sunday Night's Disturbance Occurred Consumed Several Hours in Recorder's Court.

The Recorder held a double session of his court yesterday, the one lasting from 11 A. M. to 2:15 P. M. and the other from 3:30 to 5 P. M., in order to investigate the several cases against the sailors from the revenue cutter Seminole who figured prominently in the disturbance in front of the county jail Sunday night.

Three of the quartette against whom warrants have been issued were in court to answer the charges, these being W. A. Skeems, a petty officer on the cutter; J. Anderson and Hans Olsen, sailors. The fourth member of the party left with the revenue cutter Monday and is not expected to return until some time in November. All the defendants were charged with cruelty to animals and disturbing a religious meeting. Olsen was also indicted for resisting an officer, but it afterwards developed that Skeems was the man who offered resistance and not Olsen. A warrant was then drawn for Skeems also one charging nuisance. The case against Anderson for simple assault on Constable Chadwick, being charged with striking the officer in front of the jail, was remanded to Justice Harriss, who has jurisdiction in the matter.

There was a large number of witnesses for the prosecution. They testified to the conduct of the sailors at Wrightsboro Baptist church, where, it is charged, they disturbed a meeting then in progress, and their testimony also showed that the horses hired from Davis & Schloss' stables were unmercifully driven.

The taking of testimony was concluded by 2:15 o'clock, when court took a recess until 3:30, when argument of counsel began. Walter P. Gafford, Esq., represented the prosecution, while Brooke G. Empie, Esq., appeared for the defendants. Argument was concluded at 5 o'clock, when the Recorder announced his judgment, fining the defendants $25 each and costs for cruelty to animals and a like amount for disturbing the religious meeting. In the cases against Skeems for resisting an officer and nuisance the Recorder suspended judgment. Unless the amount of the fines and costs is arranged by today the Recorder will sentence the defendants to the county roads.

At the morning session of court several other cases were heard. Frank Onslow, colored, was fined $5 and costs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Jordan McIver, a white man, was again before the court to answer the charge of drunkenness. He was given a total of 60 days on the county roads, there being a suspended judgment against him. James and Wiliam Johnson, colored, were arraigned on the charge of an affray. The negroes are brothers and the trouble occurred at their home. Their mother was the witness. They submitted to the charge and were assessed the costs.

UNEASY ABOUT TUG JONES.

Caught in Hurricane While Bound From Jacksonville to Keys.

Some uneasiness is felt here by the owners for the safety of the tug Alexander Jones, Capt. Dosher, believed to have been caught in the hurricane, which has been raging off the Florida coast and in the vicinity of Cuba for the past few days.

The Alexander Jones, which is owned by the Wilmington & Little River Towing Company, has been engaged in towing on the St. John's river at Jacksonville for several months and on last Wednesday left the latter port for the keys to secure a tow for Baltimore. The day after the Jones put to sea the West Indian storm developed off the Cuban coast, storm warnings at that time being ordered up all along the Florida coast. Capt. Dosher, who is well known here, having formerly been master of the tug Blanche, notified his owners the day he left Jacksonville, but nothing has been heard since. The wind at Key West last night was blowing at a velocity of 90 miles an hour and it is believed that the tug was somewhere in that vicinity. The owners hope to hear from Capt. Dosher today.

LYON SWAMP DRAINAGE.

Meeting of Land Owners at Keiths to Formulate Plans.

A meeting of the land owners of the Lyon Swamp Drainage District to make arrangements to secure funds through a bond issue for the drainage project, was held yesterday at Keith's in Pender county. The meeting yesterday followed the recent election of three drainage commissioners, who were elected by the land owners to supervise the work. The actual work on the long canal through the swamps will be commenced as soon as the funds are available. The land owners are enthusiastic over the plans and a large area of farming lands will be reclaimed.

GENUINE ECZEMA REMEDY.

New Remedy That Cures Eczema Quickly.

J. Hicks Bunting Co. has sold dozens of jars of Hokara in the last few weeks, and although they offered to refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied purchaser, not one jar has been returned.

While this is surprising in itself, yet the most marvelous thing to them is the reports of chronic cases of eczema that have been cured by this simple skin food. People who have suffered with scales, scabs and even bleeding itching have found relief and cure in Hokara.

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AUDIT AND FINANCE BOARD

Regular Semi-Monthly Meeting Last Night—Communication Relative to Sewerage System—Chairman Heyer Returns.

The most important matter before the Board of Audit and Finance, in regular semi-monthly session last night, was the reading of a communication from the Water and Sewerage Commission, in reply to a recent letter of inquiry from the board relative to the installation of a new sewerage system, which, in brief, sustains the position of the board that it is not absolutely necessary to have in hand the money from the $100,000 unsold water and sewerage bonds before work on the system can begin.

The letter of inquiry, sent by Capt. Thos. D. Meares, clerk of the board, following action of the body October 4th, asking for information contained the following questions: "The information desired by the board being whether the plans for the system have been prepared and adopted? What the estimated cost and extent under such of the system is figured at? What is the earliest date at which work on the system could be commenced after adoption of plans? What amount of money will probably be needed within the next six months provided a very early start is made on the work?

The reply to the letter of inquiry is signed by Mr. R. C. Cantwell, superintendent, and is as follows: "Five plans have been prepared for the sewerage system, but as yet none has been adopted. The cost, according to said plans will range from $150,000 to $300,000 according to which plan should be adopted, and accepted by the State Board of Health. Work could begin within 60 days after the adoption and approval of the plans. For the next six months the money now available would probably be sufficient."

The bills of ex-Judge E. K. Bryan, Marsden Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq., for legal services in connection with the case of J. A. Burriss against the city, recently compromised, the plaintiff being given $500, were approved. The board concurred with the Police and Fire Commission in awarding to Mr. J. W. H. Fuchs the contract for Winter uniforms for firemen and to Southerland, Simon & Co., the contract for police uniforms; also in expending $172 for detectives in the recent crusade against "blind tigers."

The meeting was presided over by Chairman M. J. Heyer, who returned to the city yesterday from a pleasant trip to European countries, and was pleasantly greeted by members of the board, who were delighted to see Mr. Heyer looking so hail and hearty and to know that his trip proved such great benefit to his health. Other members of the board present were Messrs. M. G. Tiencken and Jesse Wilder. Capt. Thos. D. Meares, the clerk, was at his post. After the business of the meeting had been disposed of Mr. Heyer talked interestingly of some of the places of interest in the old country. One thing that struck him forcibly on the trip was the excellent streets even in the smallest European countries.

COMMERCIAL CLUB FRIDAY.

President Evans Announces First Fall Meeting—Dinner at Chamber.

The first Fall meeting and dinner of the Commercial Club, Wilmington's booster organization, will be held Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce as announced by President C. N. Evans.

One of the matters of interest to come before the club will be the election of a new vice-president to succeed Mr. R. L. Boyd, who moved away from the city some time ago. The meetings of the club were suspended during the Summer on account of so many of the members being out of town. A feature of the club's meeting is the dinner which is always served in connection, followed by the regular discussion and consideration of business matters in general. All members of the Chamber of Commerce are also members of the Commercial Club and it is urged that a full attendance be present. General Fall plans for the advancement of the city's interests will be discussed.

STOLE HIS GRIP SACK

Interesting Chase in Connecticut—Wilmingtonian Figures in It.

Many Wilmington friends will be interested in a long acount of a sensational chase across the country for a thief in the Danbury, Conn., Evening News, one of the participants in the chase for the thief being Mr. Isadore Bear, of this city. Mr. Bear and a friend in making some business calls left their grips in the office of a customer and returning for them a little later were surprised to find that they had been stolen. A white man was spotted and he was traced to the depot where the grips had been checked by him to Bridgeport. Then Mr. Bear and his friend got busy with the telegraph and telephone and the property was recovered as it arrived in Bridgeport and the thief was afterwards captured. However, on account of an aged and hard-working father, after recovering the property, Mr. Bear and his friend would not prosecute the worthless fellow and he was allowed to go.

MR. J. C. VEREEN CLOSED.

Attachment Proceedings Instituted by Mr. Joseph H. Watters.

The store of Mr. J. C. Vereen, Eighth and Wooster streets, which was reported to have been burglarized Sunday night and $205 in money taken from the safe, was closed yesterday afternoon by Constable Savage under authority of attachment proceedings instituted in Justice Harriss' court by Mr. Joseph H. Watters, the wholesale grocer. The papers set forth that the defendant is indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of $192.32 by contract for goods sold and delivered. The affidavit sets out that the affiant is informed and believes that the defendant in the action has sold, disposed of or secreted his stock of goods for the purpose of defrauding his creditors. A. S. Williams, Esq., appears for Mr. Watters. It is probable that the matter will be satisfactorily adjusted today.

MEETS HERE IN NOVEMBER

Third Annual Convention of the North Carolina Drainage Association Will be Held in Wilmington—Many Delegates.

The third annual convention of the North Carolina Drainage Association will be held in this city Tuesday, November 22nd, and on the following day the delegates expect to go for a trip down the Cape Fear river. The programme for the meeting is now in course of preparation by Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, secretary of the association, and will be announced in a few days. It is expected that there will be a large number of delegates and that they will come from nearly every section of the Stae.

Mayor Walter G. MacRae yesterday received the following letter from Secretary Pratt relative to the meeting:

"Dear Sir:—You are hereby cordially invited to attend the third annual convention of the North Carolina Drainage Association which is to be held at Wilmington, N. C., November 22nd. We will also appreciate it if you will appoint five to ten delegates to represent your county, city, or association, as the case may be. Please appoint these delegates as early as possible, and forward their names and addresses to this office so that notices can be sent to them.

"A very attractive programme is being arranged for this convention, and there will be a number of prominent speakers from North Carolina and other States. Arrangements will probably be made so that delegates can take a trip down the Cape Fear river on Wednesday morning, November 23. Notice regarding the programme will be sent to each delegate within the next few weeks."

Mr. Joseph A. Brown, of Chadbourn, is president of the association, which has as its object he promotion of drainage of swamp and over-flowed lands. Mayor MacRae will appoint the delegates from this county within a few days.

ATLANTIC YACHT CLUB.

Annual Meeting Last Night—Bright Prospects for Coming Year.

The annual meeting of the Atlantic Yacht Club was held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, President J. Holmes Davis presiding, Mr. H. G. Fennell present as secretary and superintendent and a large number of members in attendance. The affairs of the club were uiscussed generally with the plans for the future. All the reports were of a most satisfactory nature and the outlook for the coming season was never brighter. Committees have been appointed with a view of making a number of improvements for the coming year. Officers were re-elected as follows:

President—J. Holmes Davis.
Vice President—F. E. Hashagen.
Secretary and Supt.—John R. Hanby.

Executive Committee—J. Holmes Davis, F. E. Hashagen, J. R. Hanby, A. L. Price, James Owen Reilly and Virginius Hall.

Mr. Fennell declined re-election as superintendent and secretary and treasurer and Mr. Hanby was elected to succeed him. Members of the club are very enthusiastic over the outlook, there being a comfortable balance in the treasury with all obligations met.

GREETED BY SMALL AUDIENCE.

Congressman Duncan E. McKinlay at Court House Last Night.

Addressing an audience, numbering less than 60 citizens, including two negroes, Congressman Duncan E. McKinlay, of California, spoke in defense of the Republican party for nearly two hours at the Court House in this city last night. Mr. McKinlay is a pleasing speaker and held the attention of his audience. He was introduced by Louis Goodman, Esq., a prominent member of the local bar, and active in the councils of the party in this district. Mr. McKinlay devoted the greater portion of his address to a discussion of the tariff question and endeavored to show that the Republican policy of protection is best for the country. In speaking of constitutional law, Mr. McKinlay said that the Republicans of this district did well to select Iredell Meares, Esq., to represent them in Congress, for his knowledge of constitutional law will make him a most valuable addition to Congress. He had not met Mr. Meares until yesterday, but had heard of him by reputation. Mr. McKinlay spoke as if it were a foregone conclusion that Mr. Meares would warm Congressman Godwin's seat in the House of Representatives after his present term expires.

RUMOR OF INTENDED SUITS.

Said that Thomas Dixon May Sue Tidewater Power Company.

It was stated yesterday that two civil actions against the Tidewater Power Company for damages may result from the drowning at Wrightsville Beach Sunday afternoon of Robert Barton Pahr, whose body has not yet been recovered. It was said that Thomas Dixon, author of "The Sins of the Father," in which Mr. Pahr played the leading part, may bring action and that Mr. William Pahr, of Baltimore, father of the young man, may also institute a suit for damages, both setting up the contention that the company was negligent in not having a life saver on duty at Lumina, where the bath suits were rented. Mr. Pahr, father of the young actor, who arrived Friday night went to Wrightsville Beach, where a lookout for the body is still maintained, yesterday morning. He expected to return to Baltimore last night.

A Reliable Medicine—Not a Narcotic.

Ge. the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. It is safe and effective. Contains no opiates. Refuse substitutes. Robert P. Bellamy.

The issues of the campaign will be discussed tonight by Senator Overman and Attorney General Bickett. Third and Market streets, beginning at 8 o'clock.

THE BRUNSWICK REPUBLICANS

Full County Ticket Nominated at Big Convention Held at Supply Yesterday—Iredell Meares, Esq., Made Address.

With about 300 voters and probably 50 ladies in attendance, the Republicans of Brunswick county held their convention at Supply yesterday and nominated a full county ticket, a can for the House of Representatives, elected its executive committee for the ensuing term and heard a one-hour address by Iredell Meares, Esq., Republican candidate for Congress in this district.

The convention was called to order at 11:30 o'clock by Maj. Daniel Russell Johnson, chairman of the executive committee. Robert W. Davis, Esq., of Southport, was made permanent chairman and Mr. Walter Leonard, of Supply, permanent secretary. Chairman Davis made a brief address, after which the convention proceeded to the election of a county executive committee. Major Johnson was re-elected chairman and Mr. Walter Leonard re-elected secretary. The nomination of candidates for the various county offices was then entered into, resulting as follows:

House—C. Ed. Taylor, Southport.
Sheriff—J. J. Knox, Town Creek.
Clerk of Court—Walter Leonard, Supply.
Register of Deeds—John Jenerett, Southport.
Treasurer—Geo. E. Brooks, Seaside.
Coroner—Joel Long, Shallotte.
Surveyor—G. F. Long, Supply.
Commissioners—C. N. Leonard, Shallotte; R. D. Harrison, Funston; W. A. Long, Waccamaw.

As will be noted, with the exception of the Clerk of Court, coroner board of county commissioners, the candidates are now in office. Mr. Long was nominated for county commissioner in place of Mr. Noah Bennett, now a member of the board, who declined to stand for re-election. Heretofore the Republicans have been endorsing Mr. Robert Newton, Democrat, for Clerk of Court, but this year decided to place one of their own number in the field.

After the nominations had been concluded the convention at 2:15 o'clock, adjourned for dinner, which was served in picnic style, this plan having been decided upon as an inducement to the ladies to attend. The Fort Caswell band was present and furnished music during the day.

When the inner man had been satisfied from the good things to eat prepared by the ladies, the meeting reassembled to hear the address of candidate Meares, who was introduced by C. Ed. Taylor, Esq., of Southport. Mr. Meares spoke for an hour, discussing principally the tariff question. He was given close attention.

It is said that the convention yesterday was the largest ever held in Brunswick county, of a political nature.

SIX CONVERSIONS.

Splendid Meeting Last Night at Fifth Street M. E. Church.

Notwithstanding the threatening weather last night there was a large congregation at Fifth Street Methodist Church and deep interest was manifested by all. Rev. K. D. Holmes, the pastor, preached a very strong and effective sermon, and in the after meeting, conducted by Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Church, there were six conversions. Interest in the revival is on the increase and members of the church hope that great good will be accomplished during the series. Song service begins at 7:30 P. M. and preaching at 8 P. M. The public is invited to attend.

OBSTRUCTION ON TRACK.

Late Car From Beach Came Near Being Wrecked Last Night.

The fender is probably all that saved suburban car No. 23, Conductor E. A. Futrell and Motorman J. T. Baird, from being wrecked at Masonboro crossing near last midnight, when the car ran into an obstruction on the track—a wooden bench, which had probably been removed from the depot near there. The car was running at the average rate of speed for the suburban cars and struck the bench with full force. Fortunately the bench was caught up by the fender and no damage was done. Had it not been for the fender the car, in all probability, would have been derailed. The car was stopped and the conductor and motorman looked around the immediate vicinity, but did not see anyone.

THE CABBAGE SNAKE.

One Found Coiled Up in Head Being Prepared for Dinner.

Editor Star:—Please allow me a short pace in your paper. In preparing a cabbage today for dinner, I found a "cabbage snake." I always take every leaf apart and look it carefully and today I found the snake coiled in a leaf. It was about six inches long and about as large as the No. 50 thread.

MARY A. McDONALD.

Senator Overman and Attorney General Bickett speak at Third and Market streets tonight at 8 o'clock.

Capt. Bogardus Again Hits the Bull's Eye.

This world's famous rifle shot who holds the championship record of 100 pigeons in 100 consecutive shots is living at Lincoln, Ill. Recently interviewed, he says: "I suffered a long time with kidney and bladder trouble and used several well known kidney medicines, all of which gave me no relief until I started taking Foley Kidney Pills. Before I used Foley Kidney Pills I had severe bachaches and pains in my kidneys and suppression and a cloudy voiding. On rising in the morning I would get dull headaches. Now I have taken three bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and feel 100 per cent. better. I am never bothered with my kidneys or bladder and again feel like my own self." Robert Bellamy.

NORTHEAST STORM IS FELT

Very High Tide at Beach and Slight Blow With Rain in City Last Night—Beach Depopulated Practically but No Damage.

The northeast storm which has been playing havoc further south and which was reported at 10 o'clock last night central in Northern Florida moving north or northeastward along the coast, manifested itself at Wrightsville Beach early last night in one of the highest tides of the year, being within a few feet of the trestle, and in the city by a slight blow and a driving rain about 10 o'clock. However, there has been no damage of consequence and it is believed by many that the worst of it has passed.

It was deemed expedient at 8 o'clock last night to notify all persons on the beach who cared to do so, to come up to the city in view of the continued advisory messages by the Weather Bureau and a majority of those living at the beach came up on the early cars, leaving only the Seashore Hotel Cafe and the Northrop cotages inhabited. The tide at 8 o'clock was very high but with no wind of consequence no damage was done. The last two cars from the city did not attempt to cross the trestle, though there was every reason to believe that the structure was intact. Sand was washed across the car tracks at several points along the beach but so far as could be learned none of the trackage had been washed away and the trestle was not damaged. At 9:30 o'clock Secretary H. Woolicott, Supt of Transportation John J. Sheehan, and Track Superintendent Dooley, of the Tidewater Power Company, went down but found the tide receding. The next high tide is at 8 o'clock this morning but it is hoped by that time, that the storm will have passed this coast. Messrs. M. F. H. Gouverneur, H. M. Chase and Raymond Hunt, of the Tidewater Company, went over to the beach and remained during the night in case their services should be needed in any way.

LAUNDRYMEN AT RICHMOND.

National Convention Well Attended—The Officers.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 18.—The nomination of officers for the ensuing year, the establishment of a fund to which subscriptions amounting to $6,000 were made today for advertising purposes, and the practical choice of St. Paul, Minn., as the next meeting place, were the chief features of today's proceedings in the Laundrymen's National Convention in session here. The presidency lies between A. W. Solomon, of Savannah, Ga., and L. H. Fisher, of Kansas City, and there is still a hot fight on for this position. Other nominations made today were the following:

First vice president, M. B. Florsheim, of Richmond; second vice president, P. M. Cave, Charlotte, N. C.; third vice president, Hall Comstock, Milwaukee, Wis.; fourth vice president, R. A. Fox, New Orleans; secretary, J. H. Heath, New York; sergeant at arms, Major W. A. Turpin, New York. Carroll Thornton, of Youngstown, O., was nominated to succeed himself as treasurer. The election will be held tomorrow morning.

GAYNOR WILL VISIT TAFT.

Accepted the Invitation Extended by President Yesterday.

New York, Oct. 18.—Mayor Gaynor of this city will be the guest of President Taft at the White House on Saturday and Sunday next. Announcement was made tonight that the President had extended an invitation to the mayor to pay him such a visit and that the mayor had accepted.

During his stay at the executive mansion Mayor Gaynor will attend the dinner to be given on Saturday night in honor of Yukio Ozaki, the Mayor of Tokio, who is now in New York on a tour of this country.

Mrs. Gaynor will accompany the mayor to Washington and will be the guest of Mrs. Taft during the mayor's visit there.

President Taft wrote Mayor Gaynor several days ago inviting him to attend the dinner for the visiting Japanese city executive and to remain over Sunday. His acceptance was received by letter today by the Presi-

Free for Stomach and Bowels

We are in receipt of letters from Mrs. Eva Gaskins, 304 Madison St., Topeka, Kans., and Mr. P. H. Gavellas, Wagoner, Okla., as well as many others, telling about the wonderful results they have secured in the cure of their stomach and liver troubles by the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

This remedy, as all readers doubtless know, has been before the public for a generation and is now being more extensively used than any other remedy for stomach, liver and bowel complaints. According to reliable testimony, it seems to be a very quick and lasting cure for constipation, indigestion and dyspepsia, liver trouble, biliousness, headaches, sour stomach, gas on the stomach, drowsiness after eating and similar disorders. It is a liquid with tonic effect, and so mild and gentle in action that a child as well as a grown person can take it, in fact, it has no equal for children, women and old people.

It arouses the flow of gastric juice, and by a peculiar action trains the stomach and bowel muscles to again do their work naturally, and in time medicines of all kinds can be dispensed with. A free sample bottle can be had for trial by sending your address to the doctor, for in this way Mrs. Gaskins, Mr. Gavellas and many others first learned of the cure. Later, when satisfied it is the remedy you need, do as others are doing and buy it of your druggist at fifty cents and one dollar a bottle.

Dr. Caldwell does not feel that the purchase of his remedy ends his obligation. He has specialized in stomach, liver and bowel diseases for over forty years and will be pleased to give the reader any advice on the subject free of charge. All are welcome to write him. Whether for the medical advice or the free sample address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

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DEMOCRATIC GUNS TONIGHT

Senator Overman and Attorney General Bickett to Address Voters at Third and Market Streets. Big Crowd Expected.

The Democratic campaign in New Hanover county will be formally launched tonight, when Senator Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, and Attorney General T. W. Bickett, of Raleigh, will address the voters at corner of Third and Market streets, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock. It was announced last night that in case of rain the meeting will be held in the Court House at the same hour.

Senator Overman spoke at Troy, Montgomery county, yesterday and is expected to arrive in the city from that place some time today, Chairman Marsden Bellamy not being advised last night on which train he would come, and Attorney General Bickett will come direct from Raleigh.

The Delgado band has been secured by the committee and will be on hand tonight to enliven the occasion with tuneful airs. The band will play a number of selections while the crowd is gathering and also at the conclusion of Attorney General Bickett's address. Promptly at 8 o'clock Chairman Bellamy, of the county executive committee, will make a few preliminary remarks, after which he will present Hon. John D. Bellamy, who will in turn introduce to the assemblage Attorney General Bickett. At the conclusion of the address the band will play a selection, following which Mr. George Rountree will be presented, and will introduce Senator Overman. All of the speeches will be worth going miles to hear and it is believed that the crowd will be large, into the thousands.

The committee has invited the following to occupy seats on the platform with the distinguished speakers: Mayor Walter G. MacRae, Duncan McEachern, M. W. Divine, J. VanB. Metts, J. F. Post, W. M. Royall, Geo. S. LeGrand, John D. Bellamy, George Rountree, H. McL. Green, A. G. Ricaud, J. J. Furlong, Woodus Kellum, John Haar, J. A. Taylor, M. O'Brien, Wm. E. Springer, J. G. L. Gieschen, H. L. Vollers, Walker Taylor, G. J. Boney, Herbert McClammy, J. O. Carr, Thos. W. Davis, J. T. Kerr, John Barry, W. B. Cooper, C. N. Evans, J. V. Grainger, M. G. Tiencken, J. J. Fowler, C. C. Covington, Sam Bear, Jr., M. J. Corbett, J. S. Williams, James H. Cowan, J. E. Thompson, Cameron F. MacRae, Thos. W. Clawson, Geo. H. Bellamy, R. P. McClammy, P. Q. Moore.

ANOTHER BIG REALTY DEAL

Von Kampen Property on Northwest Corner of Front and Orange Streets Purchased by Mr. Jurgen Haar.

Still another big realty deal was consummated yesterday when Mr. Jurgen Haar purchased through Mr. C. P. B. Mahler, of the Grossman & Mahler Construction Co., the valuable and very desirably situated Von Kampen property on the northwest corner of Front and Orange streets, the consideration, it is said, being more than $20,000.

The property has a frontage on Front street of 99 feet and has a depth of 66 feet, and is now occupied by the stores of J. W. H. Fuchs, J. H. Hardin, and Crumpler & Benton. The property belonged to the Von Kampen estate and is considered very desirable for business purposes. It is understood that Mr. Haar purchased the property as an investment.

There were other important real estate transactions yesterday. Through the real estate firm of Messrs. J. G. Wright & Son two valuable pieces of residential property changed hands. The property on the south side of Walnut street, between Fourth and Fifth, known as the Key property, was sold to Mr. George Schnibben, for $3,700. Mr. Schnibben, it is said, expects to tear away the present house and erect instead a handsome, modern residence. The residence of Mr. W. G. Sale, on St. James Square, on Eighth, between Orange and Ann streets, was purchased by Mr. John Hintze, the consideration being about $5,000. Mr. Sale, it will be recalled, was recently promoted in the service of the Western Union Telegraph Company with headquarters in Richmond, Va.

CHILDREN IN THE HOME

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Herring, of Bladen county, are spending a few days in the city.

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Mrs. D. J. Kelly, of Kelly's Cove, arrived yesterday on the steamer City of Fayetteville, to visit in Wilmington.

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Mrs. W. C. Shaw returned home on the steamer yesterday from Elizabethtown, where she has been visiting a few days.

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Mrs. Clarence Mattingly leaves this morning for Raleigh, where she will spend a week at the State Fair and on a visit to her son, Mr. Rolla Miles, of the Capital City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Matt J. Heyer have returned from an extended visit to European countries and are being pleasanly greeted by their many Wilmington friends.

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A HALLOW'EN PARTY ON FRIDAY EVENING.

Hallowe'en night, next Friday, will be marked by an interesting and pleasing social affair in keeping with the occasion, at the Wrightsboro public school, District No. 12. This is one of the first Hallowe'en parties announced for the evening. A programe with many entertaining features has been arranged by the pupils and the public is invited to attend the happy event. The party will begin at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the piano fund of the church.

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Greensboro News: "At her home on Church street yesterday afternoon, between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock, Mrs. T. J. Murphy entertained in honor of her house guests, Mrs. Lee Simpson, of Sampson county, and Miss Alfie Murphy, of Wilmington, 175 guests being present during the reception. The home was beautifully decorated for the event, the scene in the parlor being made of pink dahlias and ferns, and in the dining-room with red dahlias. The guest cards were taken by little Miss Mabel Alderman. Receiving at the front door were Mrs. I. W. Murphy, Miss Sallie Murphy, Mrs. Lee Simpson and Mrs. J. T. Murphy. Tea and wafers were served in the dining-room by Mrs. John L. Gilmer, Mrs. E. D. Kuykendall and Mrs. J. N. Craven. Mrs. George Dupuy, Mrs. L. H. Martin and Mrs. W. F. Alderman served cream and cake in the reception hall."

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BRILLIANT MUSICALE BY PROF. AND MRS. HAGEDORN.

The Raleigh Evening Times has the following which will be read with interest by friends of Mrs. Hagedorn, nee Miss Elizabeth D. Burtt, of this city:

The music department of the Woman's Club of Raleigh, of which Mrs. W. J. Ferrell is chairman, gave the members of the club one of the most enjoyable and brilliant entertainments yesterday afternoon, that has ever been given by this department.

The musical was held at Meredith College and there was a large crowd of the club members present as the program was one none liked to miss.

Mrs. Ferrell made a few introductory remarks and told something of the work this department hoped to do during the year. It is the aim of the music committee to make this the best year in the history of the department, which is saying a great deal as some of the most successful and enjoyable meetings of the club during the past have been held in this department.

The subject yesterday was Charles Camille Saint Saens. The program was under the direction of Prof. and Mrs. Gustav Hagedorn. Prof. Hagedorn read an interesting sketch of the life and works of the composer. The musical program was a delight all through, the music being of the highest order. The club is to be congratulated on being able to command such talent. The re-appearance of Mr. and Mrs. Hagedorn who have always been favorites with the musical public of the city was greeted with enthusiasm by the audience. Their playing seemed to have gained even added brilliance during their year's study abroad so that the performance yesterday afternoon was a rare treat to all present.

PROGRAMME.

The deluge (Prelude)—Mrs. G. Hagedorn, piano; Miss A. Shearin, organ; Mr. G. Hagedorn, violin.

Etude in form of a Waltz, piano—Mrs. G. Hagedorn.

Rondo et Cappriccioso, violin—Mr. G. Hagedorn.

Menuet and Gavotte et finale, from Septette—Miss M. Shearin, 1st violin; Mr. G. Hagedorn, viola; Mr. B. Ray, bass; Mr. J. J. Thomas, 2nd violin; Miss B. Luney, cello; Mr. Wm. Simpson, trumpet; Miss E. Futrell, piano.

SETTLE IN RALEIGH.

Commits His Party to "Licker"—Black and Tan Crowd.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 18.—Hon. Thos. Settle declared in a Republican campaign speech here tonight that he wanted it understood that whatever else the "local self-government plank" in the Republican platform means, it means opposition to State-wide prohibition. Before claiming this for it, he set out that it means all that was claimed for it by the Democrats in their platform in 1904, which he said included the right of the people to control their own local affairs. Settle spoke in Representatives' hall of the State House and his crowd filled the hall, the lobbies and galleries, the latter devoted to negroes.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The A. C. L. shop meeting at 12:20 P. M., today, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will be addressed by the Rev. Thos. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Butler will render two duets.

—Early Robinson, colored, charged with embezzlement of funds belonging to Mr. L. C. Sutton, the well known tailor, was arrested yesterday by Constable Savage. In default of bond the negro was lodged in jail to await hearing before Justice Harriss today.

—The steamer C. W. Lyon, Capt. Adkins, brought 400 bales of cotton to the city yesterday from Fayetteville. This is one of the largest cargoes of the staple this season from up the river and was consigned to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son.

—Robert Berry, colored, will be given hearing today before Justice Harriss on the charge of assault with deadly weapon, towit: a bottle, upon C. W. Moseley, also colored. Berry was arrested yesterday by Constable Savage.

—In a game of base all at League Park, yesterday afternoon, the Union Graded School team defeated the Tigers, a picked team from the High School, by the score of 2 to 0. The Union school team showed considerable improvement since the game with Hemenway a few days ago.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: B. H. J. Ahrens and wife to Mary B. Harries, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on north side of Dock, 66 feet west of Seventh, 33x120 feet in size; Thomas H. Wright to J. A. Munn, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of Magnolia, 60 feet north of Orange street, 32x75 feet in size.

HURRICANE RAGES ALONG THE COAST

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the mother and two of he children were drowned.

No Danger at Charleston.

Charleston, S. C., Oct. 18.—Charleston has experienced no trouble from the storm except a 52 mile wind about 1 o'clock this afternoon. The wind has maintained an average of 36 miles during the afternoon. The barometer at 6 P. M. was 29.68 and falling slowly. Wireless reports from the Clyde Liner Iroquois, lying off Savannah, give wind velocity of 50 miles from the East and a barometric reading of 29.54.

The Clyde liner Comanche, which arrived from Jacksonville this morning two hours behind schedule time, having experienced rough weather, sailed again this afternoon for New York.

The local weather office does not look for a serious blow at Charleston tonight. No damage has been recorded in Charleston so far.

Reports from Jacksonville.

Jacksonville, Oct. 18.—The loss in the city of Jacksonville up to 6 o'clock was heavy, although with the prevailing semi-panic condition it was not possible to ascertain if there had been loss of life.

That the property damage throughout the state will be several millions and that there has been loss of life is not doubted here.

A forty mile wind here this morning had increased to sixty miles at 4 o'clock, tonight it was still increasing and the barometer has fallen rapidly since noon, standing at a fraction above 29 inches early this evening.

The only means of communication with the outside world is a single Postal telegraph wire between here and Augusta.

It is reported that half of the buildings in the town of Mayport, 17 miles below Jacksonville at the mouth of the St. Johns river were wrecked. It is almost certain that there was loss of life there.

St. Augustine in Darkness.

St. Augustine, Fla., Oct. 18.—At low tide the water is breaking over the seawall here tonight and high tide will flood many of the streets of the city. The power plants are out of commission and the city is in darkness. All the streets are closed with water running into the lower floors of of many of them. Damage to property is expected to be heavy. The wind is blowing at fifty miles an hour from the east and northeast.

Storm Lasted 15 Hours.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The following cable from the weather bureau observer at Key West, Florida, today:

"Pressure fell rapidly to eight forty six at 3:45 P. M., then wind shifted to south, since steady rise; anemometer cups blown away 2:30 P. M. The estimated maximum velocity was over 100 miles per hour; wind blew over eighty miles per hour for three hours; storm lasted fifteen hours. The tides have been extremely high and building inundated over ten feet; building damages about one thousand dollars, station force here and at Sand Key safe. Considerable damage in city. Awful experience."

Damage at Tybee Island.

Savannah, October 18.—Telephone communication with points south of Savannah is practically destroyed. Reports from Tybee Island received at 7 o'clock are that the tide is higher than it has ever been before, except during the storm of 1881, when practically all of the island was submerged. The handsome new summer hotel that is in the course of construction, is in the sea and the railroad track is under water in places. It is nearly two hours before good tide. Water is covering the island from the sea and the inlet in the rear as well, and great damage is certain. The government reservation and the parade ground are covered with three feet of the ocean, which has risen above the sea walls. The wind at Savannah is increasing and the barometer continues to fall.

Severe Storm at Brunswick.

Savannah, October 18.—A telephone message from Waycross states that passengers on the Atlantic, Birmingham and Atlanta train which passed through there early tonight, reported that Brunswick, Ga., was in the grasp of the most severe storm in its history. The water was backing up into the city from the bay and the streets were under water. Hurricane winds were being experienced. All communication with the outside world was cut off. Many people were fleeing on the trains in terror, expecting great loss of life and property.

Situation at Savannah.

Savannah, October 18.—There is every indication at 9 o'clock that the hurricane is putting Savannah closer to its center. A driving rain is falling and the wind has attained hurricane velocity during intermittent gusts. The barometer read 29.55 and was falling at 9 o'clock.

News from the ocean resorts show that the tide is almost unprecedentedly high and still rising, though the flood tide hour has passed.

Sun Shone at Havana.

Havana, Oct. 18.—After a continuous deluge of five days the sun shone on Havana for a few hours this morning, only to disappear about noon behind dense clouds, from which fell torrents of rain until nightfall, adding greatly to the prevailing discomfort and materially increasing the damage throughout the country. The indications tonight are for clearing weather.

Communication with the interior is still interrupted, but it is known that the greatest damage was done in the province of Pinar del Rio, which is inaccessible on account of the washing out of railroads and highways. There is much destitution and thousands of peasants are homeless.

Theatrical

In spite of a blustering wind and a stormy weather forecast, combined with what is usually considered the off-night, Tuesday night, with a popular price attraction, a large audience last night was at the Academy and enjoyed a rattling good performance of "Rena Rivers." As on the opening night the production was made with special scenery and the cast was a fine one. The audience frequently showed its appreciation by hearty applause during the performance and afterwards gave the company high praise. The specialties again greatly pleased, the Carleton Sisters proving big favorites, while Baby Hope came in for a big share of approval.

The company is unquestionably a clever one, and it is especially attractive as its plays so far have proven new, while special scenery has been used, something that gets pleasingly away from the Academy scenery that has become thoroughly familiar with by now.

Tonight the company promises one of its best performances in "The County Boy at College." Between acts an entire new programme of specialties will be presented. Seats for tonight are now on sale at Plummer's.

A special matinee will be played this afternoon, when "St. Elmo" will be presented. The prices will be but 10 and 20 cents.

Remarkable Vocal Range.

The human voice is the most wonderfully constructed of all musical instruments, and specialists in the study of this organ occasionally find one so much more remarkable than the rest as to command the attention of the world. Of such are the voices of Patti and Tetrazzini, and America has produced one, that of Miss Edith Helena, which musical critics as well as experts on the physiology of the voice have pronounced nothing short of marvelous. When Tetrazzini's famous E flat first sounded in New York it echoed, figuratively speaking, to the farthest points in America, and the next morning the newspapers hailed her as the greatest coloratura soprano of the age. Miss Helena is probably the nearest approach to the great Italian prima donna now on the grand opera stage, and has been called the "American Tetrazzini." Her voice and execution are of the same style, and so closely after the same methods that only the most accomplished critics are capable of telling wherein the foreigner is greater than the native. In one respect, at least, Miss Helena excels—she has the longest range in the world, so far as known, embracing three full octaves. She passes her prototype's E in altissimo without an effort, and soars higher and higher until the A above is reached with a tone exactly like the same note sounded on the high string of a violin.

She will be heard with the Aborn English Grand Opera Company at the Academy of Music Tuesday night, October 25th, in Verdi's melodious "Il Trovatore."

At the Bijou Today.

At the Bijou today will be shown "The Three Cherry Pitt," or "The Veteran's Honor," said to be one of the most dramatic stories in French history, and one of the grandest portrayals ever made in motion pictures; "The Anarchistic Grip" and "The Dream Pill." It is a bill of unusual excellence.

The Crystal Palace.

The bill at the Crystal Palace has been considerably strengthened by the arrival of Miss Eleanor Warren, the dainty little singer, who has made a distinct hit with the large audiences. She was given enthusiastic applause at each performance yesterday. Miss Gibson, the clever soubrette, is also winning praise from the patrons, as is also the Great Stanley. The motion pictures complete a most excellent bill.

At Joyland.

Two fine Western pictures will be shown at Joyland today. They are entitled "The Blazed Trail," and "Back in the Mountains," and portray most interestingly some of the stirring scenes of the West.

PARDON FOR SILVIA.

Chairman of Board of Commissioners Asking Clemency for Him.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 18.—Chairman D. McEachern, of the New Hanover County Board of Commissioners, was here today to urge Governor Kitchin to pardon Contractor Silvio, of Wilmington, who has served three weeks of a one-year sentence to the county roads for contempt of court and committed in the Recorder's Court. The pardon is being asked for by the Recorder himself as well as by a large number of people of the city. The Governor indicated his willingness to consider the matter just as soon as the papers were put before him in conformity with the rules governing applications for pardons which include the requirement of 30 days notice of application.

NAME BROWN'S VICTIM.

Republicans of Twelfth Senatorial District Called to Meet.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., Oct. 18.—Hon. I. B. Tucker has received a notice from B. S. White, district chairman, calling a Senatorial convention to nominate a candidate for the 12th Senatorial District, comprising the counties of Bladen and Columbus, to meet at Clarkton, he 22nd day of October, at 12 o'clock M. A Republican candidate will be named in opposition to Hon. J. A. Brown.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

FURTHER DECLINE IN COTTON

Good Weather in South Affected Market Yesterday—Closed Steady at Loss of 30 Points—Buying on Storm News.

New York, Oct. 18.—There was a further sharp decline in the cotton market today owing to continued good weather in the South, talk of increasing estimates of the yield and rumors of an easier interior spot situation which were colored to some extent by the showing of the markets officially reported late in the day. Rallies occurred from time to time, but last prices were within two or three points of the lowest and the market closed barely steady at a net loss of 30 points on November and of 17 to 20 points on the general list.

The opening was steady at an advance of five points to a decline of three points, which was about in line with the cables. October was relatively firm at the start on reports that the South was not offering cotton freely in Liverpool and there was some buying on the West Indian storm news, as storm warnings were displayed for the South Atlantic coast. But selling was very heavy and while there was a rally from a net loss of about 6 to 9 points to practically these closing figures of last night, during the middle of the morning, this slight bulge was followed by renewed weakness under continued liquidation and more aggressive local selling than has been seen in the market for some days past. It was evidently believed that the tropical storm would not work far from the coast to do the crop any harm and while a rumor of heavy rain at Charleston and reports that the storm was heading toward the interior caused another rally to practically the closing figures of yesterday during the early afternoon. The market later eased off again owing to the lower Southern spot markets and renewed liquidation. December contracts sold at 14.24 or 72 points below the high level of last week and March at 14.41 or 73 points off from the recent top. Southern spot markets officially reported were 1-8 to 1-4c lower. There was nothing in the weather news to indicate frost in the belt for the immediate future and private wires from Memphis said that Southern experts were raising their estimates of the crop. A prominent English authority cabled an estimate of 11,545,000 bales. The announcement that the bill of lading controversy had been practically settled and that the French strike had been ended appeared to attract little attention.

Receipts at the ports today 96,188 bales against 92,275 last week and 105,408 last year; for the week 400,000 against 405,117 last week and 448,254 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 10,892 bales against 13,676 last year and at Houston 24,798 bales against 15,627 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 35 points decline; middling uplands 14.45; middling gulf 14.50; sales 613 bales. Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	14 53	14 54	15 25	14 30
Nov.	14 39	14 39	14 10	14 10
Dec.	14 48	14 48	14 24	14 27
Jan.	14 52	14 52	14 27	14 30
Feb.	—	—	—	14 37
March	14 58	15 04	14 41	14 41
April	—	—	—	14 47
May	14 71	14 71	14 41	14 50
June	—	—	—	14 48
July	14 68	14 70	14 46	14 50

Port Movement.

Galveston—Tone, easy; middling, 14 1-2; net receipts, 44,544; gross receipts, 44,544; sales, 800; stock, 155,530; Great Britain, 19,959; continent, 805; coastwise, 2,357.

New Orleans—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 10,892; gross receipts, 11,342; sales, 1,230; stock, 52,347; continent, 4,850; coastwise, 1,877.

Mobile—Tone, unsettled; middling, 14; net receipts, 2,542; gross receipts, 2,544; sales, 50; stock, 28,773; continent, 5,723; coastwise, 450.

Savannah—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 1-4; middling, 16,557; gross receipts, 16,557; sales, 2,550; stock, 100,784; coastwise, 8,823.

Charleston—Tone, nominal; net receipts, 4,033; gross receipts, 4,033; stock, 33,978; coastwise, 1,394.

Wilmington—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 1-8; net receipts, 9,367; gross receipts, 9,367; stock, 28,897.

Norfolk—Tone, steady; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 7,658; gross receipts, 7,658; sales, 1,065; stock, 21,252; coastwise, 7,210.

Baltimore—Tone, nominal; middling, 14 5-8; gross receipts, 2,977; stock, 9,160.

New York—Tone, quiet; middling, 14.45; gross receipts, 1,379; sales, 613; stock, 69,632.

Boston—Tone, steady; middling, 14.45; net receipts, 100; gross receipts, 8,471; stock, 22,930.

Philadelphia—Tone, quiet; middling, 14.70; gross receipts, 1,050; stock, 5,632.

Port Arthur—Net receipts, 420; gross receipts, 420; continent, 420.

Georgetown—Net receipts, 75; coastwise, 75.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts, 96,188; Great Britain, 19,959; continent, 11,798; stock, 537,390.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts, 255,913; Great Britain, 112,169; France, 17,945; continent, 114,560; Japan, 500.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net receipts, 1,935,751; Great Britain, 681,536; France, 158,271; continent, 510,241; Japan, 7,446; Mexico, 500.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Tone, steady; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 24,798; gross receipts, 24,798; shipments, 21,988; sales, 2,504; stock, 92,045.

Augusta—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 3-8; net receipts, 4,471; gross receipts, 4,653; shipments, 2,266; stock, 39,065.

Memphis—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 3-4; net receipts, 6,702; gross receipts, 7,482; shipments, 2,861; sales, 1,000; stock, 34,557.

St. Louis—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 7-8; net receipts, 140; gross receipts, 2,212; shipments, 2,072; stock, 902.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,024; gross receipts, 1,924; shipments, 1,501; stock, 6,458.

Little Rock—Tone, quiet; middling, 14 1-4; net receipts, 2,343; gross receipts, 2,343; shipments, 811; stock, 11,494.

Louisville—Tone, firm; middling, 15.

Total today—Net receipts, 40,437; gross receipts, 43,412; shipments, 31,409; sales, 3,504; stock, 185,421.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 18.—Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 6 1-2; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8250 to 4.8290 for 60 day bills and at 4.8625 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 1-4 to 4.82 1-2. Bar silver 56 1-2; Mexican dollars 45. Money on call steady 3 to 3 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 3, closing bid 3, offered at 3 1-4. Time loans dull but strong; 60 days 4 1-4 per cent., and 90 days 4 3-4 to 5, six months 4 5-8 to 4 3-4.

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Basuta (Br.) 1,859 tons, Thompson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Frieda, (Br.) 1,535 tons, Hill, C. D. Mafflt.

Fridland, 3,441 tons, Svensson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Str. Jura, 2,398 tons, Fellows, New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Edward R. Baird, Jr., 238 tons, Bennett, C. D. Mafflt.

Silver Spray, 163 tons, Calder, C. D. Mafflt. (In distress.)

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 18.

S. A. L. Railroad—4,365 bales cotton; 17 barrels tar; 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Atlantic Coast Line—5,002 bales cotton; 14 casks spirits turpentine; 81 barrels rosin; 31 barrels tar; 52 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—4 casks spirits turpentine.

Total—9,367 bales cotton; 18 casks spirits turpentine; 81 barrels rosin; 68 barrels tar; 59 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 18.—Flour was barely steady with a moderate inquiry.

Rye Flour and Buckwheat—Quiet.

Buckwheat Flour—Quiet.

Rye—Easy.

Barley—Barely steady.

Wheat—Easy. No. 2 red 98 3-4 elevator and 99 f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 1-8 to 1-4c net lower. December 1.01 5-8; May 1.06 3-8.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 56 1-2 elevator, domestic basis to arrive and 56 f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 1-8c net decline. December 54 1-4; May 56 5-8.

Oats—Spot steady. Futures closed 1-4 to 1-2c net advance. October 36; December 36 1-4; May 38 3-4.

Tallow and Beef—Steady.

Lard—Barely steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw nominal. Refined—quiet.

Coffee—Futures closed steady net 5 points higher to 5 points lower. Spot steady, Rio No. 7, 10 7-8; Santos No. 4, 11 1-2 to 11 5-8. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 11 1-4 to 13 3-4.

Potatoes—Unchanged.

Cabbages—Firm; Danish seed per ton 10.00 to 12.00.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Cheese—Easy; receipts 8,056; State whole milk special 15 1-4 to 16 3-4; do average fancy small, colored 15; do small white 14 3-4; do large colored 15; do large white 14 3-4; do choice 14 1-4 to 14 1-2; do good to prime 13 3-4 to 14; do common to fair 10 3-4 to 13 1-2; skims 2 to 12 3-4.

Eggs—Quiet, unchanged; receipts 16,566.

Cotton Seed Oil—Market was easier under selling by commission houses on lower prices for crude, closing at 3 to 6 points lower. October 8.45 to 8.47; November 7.43 to 7.45; December 7.28 to 7.29; January 7.33 to 7.35; February 7.34 to 7.40; crude 6.20; prime summer yellow 8.43 to 8.51; prime winter yellow 8.45 to 12.00; prime summer white 8.30 to 10.05.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 73¼ cents.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Firm, $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $4.50 per barrel for hard; $6.00 for dip and $6.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits trpentine firm 57; rosin, nothing doing; tar, steady, $1.80; crude turpentine firm, $2.50, $4.00 and $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	18
Rosin	81
Tar	68
Crude Turpentine	56

Receipts, same day last year, 10 casks spirits turpentine; —— barrels rosin; 75 barrels of tar; 36 barrels of crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET

Market, quiet; 14¼c for middling.

Same day last year, 13⅜ cents.

Receipts, 9,367 bales; same day last year, 4,118 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 15th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, extra prime 70 cents, fancy 75 cents. Spanish from $1.05 to $1.15 cents. North Carolina, No. 1, 90 to 95 cents per bushel. New crop.

CORN—Firm 85 to 90 per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 20; shoulders, 16 cents and side 17c.

EGGS—Good demand 25 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 15 and 30; grown, 45 and 50, scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 65 and 70 cents per bushel.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—60 cents per head.

PORK—10 to 11 cents net.

SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.50.

PEAS—Out of Season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 90c to $1.00, dull.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot Good Business Done—Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, Oct. 18—Spot cotton good business done, prices six points lower. American middling fair 8.47; good middling 8.13; middling 7.97; low middling 7.77; good ordinary 7.51; ordinary 7.24. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 9,600 American. Receipts 103,000 bales including 80,000 American.

Futures opened easier and closed quiet and steady. October 7 73 1-2; October and November 7.65; November and December 7.59; December and January 7.59; January and February 7.59 1-2; February and March 7.59 1-2; March and April 7.60; April and May 7.60; May and June 7.61; June and July 7.59 1-2; July and August 7.57 1-2.

Read Star Business Locals.

ACTIVE MOVEMENT IN STOCKS

Shows Signs of Improvements on Market Yesterday—London Money Market Has Effect on Stocks—General Conditions.

New York, Oct. 18.—The speculative movement in stocks showed signs today of an entry upon a new stage. Besides the normal profit taking movement, it was evident that the course of the London money market was exerting more influence on the operations in the New York market than heretofore.

International banking houses in New York having occasion to negotiate in London, found a degree of discrimination against American borrowings that was afforded a sharp contrast with the recently ruling conditions. It was reported that private banking advices gave as one explanation for the expected advance in the official discount rate of the Bank of England on Thursday as determined disapproval by the authorities of that institution of the demand for credits in London for use in the New York speculation.

There is nothing in the published banking returns to indicate how far New York borrowers have been resorting to London to finance the present speculative movement in stocks.

The foreign exchange market was affected by the situation in the London market. The extension of the present working arrangement for financing cotton exports also had the effect of strengthening the exchange market. The local call money market showed the relaxed tone which developed yesterday.

Whether on account of a changed attitude on the part of foreign money lenders or from other causes, the measures for advancing prices of were less aggressive today. United States steel maintained its prominence in the dealings but met sufficient offerings to beat down the price when attempts were made to lift it. Reading and Union Pacific, which were second only to United States steel in activity, shared in the heavy tone of that stock, until the last fifteen minutes of the session when the three stocks were pushed forward to the highest prices of the day in concert.

Bonds were easy. Total sales par value $2,550,000. United States 4s registered advanced 1-4 and the coupons one per cetn. in the bid price on call.

Total sales today 711,800 shares.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref 2s coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s, registered	101 3-4
U. S. 3s, coupon	101 3-4
U. S. 4s, registered	114 3-4
U. S. 4s coupon	115
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	78 3-4
American Agricultural 5s	102
American Tel. & Tel. cv. 4s	101 1-8
American Tobacco 4s	80 5-8
American Tobacco 6s	100
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	92 3-4
Atchison gen. 4s	99
Atchison cv. 4s	107 1-2
Atchison cv. 5s	109 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	96
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	92 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	89 3-4
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	84 1-2
Central of Georgia 5s	105 5-8
Central Leather 5s	99 7-8
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	123 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	102
Chesapeake & Ohio ref. 5s	92 7-8
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	71 1-2
Chicago, B. & Quincy joint 4s	96
Chicago, R. & Quincy gen. 4s	97 1-2
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. gen. 3 1-2s	93
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. R. R. col. 4s	75 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. rfg. 4s	89 3-4
Colorado Industrial 5s	77
Colorado Midland 4s	70
Colorado & Southern ref. & ext. 4 1-2s	97 1-2
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	98 1-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	95
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	92 1-2
Distillers 5s	73 1-2
Erie prior lien 4s	86 7-8
Erie gen. 4s	75 3-4
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	76 1-4
Erie 4s series "D"	77 1-4
General Electric 1st ref. 4s	144 3-4
Illinois Central 4s	99
Interborough-Met. 4 1-2s	81 1-4
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	66 1-2
Japan 4s	89
Japan 4 1-2s	94 3-8
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	77
Lake Shore 4s (1931)	93 1-4
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	98 1-4
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	86 1-2
Missouri Pacific 4s	78
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	94 1-2
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	89 3-4
New York Central deb. 4s	91 1-4
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	135
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	99 1-8
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	100 3-4
Northern Pacific 4s	100 7-8
Northern Pacific 3s	71 1-2
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	93 1-4
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	96 1-4
Penn. con. 4s	102 1-8
Reading gen. 4s	98 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. fg. 4s	82
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 6s	87 3-8
St. Louis Southwestern con. 4s	76 1-2
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	90 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s	71
Southern Pacific col. 4s	92 3-4
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	98 3-8
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	94 3-4
Southern Railway 5s	108 1-2
Southern Railway gen. 4s	76 1-2
Union Pacific 4s	101 5-8
Union Pacific cv. 4s	105
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	97
U. S. Rubber 6s	103
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	104
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	99 3-4
Wabash 1st 5s	108 3-4
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	65 5-8
Western Md. 4s	86 5-8
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	92 3-4
Wisconsin Central 4s	93 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd	33 1-2
Amalgamated Copper	71 5-8
American Agricultural	48
American Beet Sugar	38 3-8
American Can	9 3-8
American Car & Foundry	54 5-8
American Cotton Oil	68 1-8
American Hide & Leather pfd.	24 3-4
American Ice Securities	21 3-4
American Linseed	11 3-4
American Locomotive	41
American Smelting & Refing	77
Amer. Smelting & Refining pfd	108
Am. Steel Foundries	46 1-2
American Sugar Refining	119 1-2
American Tel. & Tel.	139 1-2
American Tobacco, pfd	94 1-4
American Woolen	32
Anaconda Mining Co.	32 1-2
Atchison	105 3-4
Atchison ltd.	101
Atlantic Coast Line	120
Baltimore & Ohio	109 1-4
Bethleham Steel	29 1-2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	78 5-4
Canadian Pacific	199
Central Leather	36 1-8
Central Leather pfd.	105 1-2
Central of New Jersey	285
Chesapeake & Ohio	84
Chicago & Alton	45
Chicago Great Western	25 5-8
Chicago Great Western pfd.	50 1-2
Chicago & North Western	150
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	128 3-8
C. C. C. & St. Louis	77 1-2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	35 1-4
Colorado & Southern	40 1-4
Consolidated Gas	137 7-8
Corn Products	17 3-4
Delaware & Hudson	169
Denver & Rio Grande	34 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	76 3-4
Distillers' Securities	31 3-4
Erie	30 3-8
Erie 1st pfd.	50 1-2
Erie 2nd pfd.	39 1-4
General Electric	155 1-2
Great Northern pfd.	130 1-2
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	70 7-8
Illinois Central	133 3-4
Interboorough-Met.	22 1-2
Interborough-Met. pfd	58 1-2
Inter-Harvester	109 1-2
Inter-Marine pfd.	18 1-4
International Paper	12 3-4
International Pump	44
Iowa Central	19 1-2
Kansas City Southern	33 1-4
Kansas City Southern pfd.	66 1-2
Lachede Gas	109 3-8
Louisville & Nashville	147 3-4
Minneapolis & St. Louis	33
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	132
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, ltd.	30
Missouri Pacific	56 3-4
National Baiscuit	110
National Lead	62 7-8
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd.	33 3-4
New York Central	119 1-2
New York, Ontario & Western	43 1-2
Norfolk & Western	100 1-4
North American	66 1-2
Northern Pacific	121 1-2
Pacific Mail	32 1-2
Pennsylvania	132 7-8
People's Gas	109 1-2
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	97 1-2
Pittsburg Coal	19 1-2
Pressed Steel Car	36
Pullman Palace Car	164 3-4
Railway Steel Spring	37 1-4
Reading	153 5-8
Republic Steel	34 1-4
Republic Steel pfd.	96 3-4
Rock Island Co.	35 1-8
Rock Island Co. pfd.	67
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd.	43
St. Louis Southwestern	30 7-8
St. Louis Southwestern pfd.	70 1-4
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	55 1-4
Southern Pacific	119 1-8
Southern Railway	26 7-8
Southern Railway pfd.	61
Tennessee Copper	38 3-8
Texas & Pacific	29 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West.	28
Toledo, St. Louis & West. pfd.	70 5-8
Union Pacific	114 3-8
Union Pacific pfd.	93 1-2
United States Realty	70
United States Rubber	38 1-4
United States Steel	77 3-8
United States Steel pfd.	119 3-4
Utah Copper	51 7-8
Virginia Carolina Chemical	63 7-8
Wabash	10 1-8
Wabash pfd	40
Western Maryland	48 1-2
Westinghouse Electric	72
Western Union	73
Wheeling & Lake Erie	5 7-8

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, October 18.—Suggestions that the wheat market was nearing an export basis, had not a little to do with the fact that the final prices today were unchanged to 1-8c down. The hopeful attitude, however, was not taken until after a period of extreme depression during which short selling was overdone and much liquidation took place on stop loss orders. Corn made a net gain of 3-8 to 1-2 to 5-8c, and oats of 3-8 to 1-2 to 5-8. The finish in provisions ranged from 5c low to 1-2c advance.

Wheat No. 2 red, 94 1-2 to 95 1-2; No. 3 red, 90 to 94; No. 2 hard, 94 1-2 to 96 1-2; No. 3 hard, 92 to 94 1-2; No. 1 northern, 1.06 to 1.08; No. 2 northern, 1.04 to 1.06; No. 3 northern, — to 1.03; No. 2 spring, 98 to 1.04; No. 3 spring, 94 to 1.03; velvet chaff, 88 to 1.01 1-2; durum, 82 to 91.

Corn—No. 2, 47 3-4; No. 2 white, 47 3-4 to 48 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 47 3-4 to 48 1-4; No. 3, 47 1-4 to 3-4; No. 3 white, 47 3-4 to 48; No. 3 yellow, 47 3-4 to 48; No. 4, 46 3-4 to 47; No. 4 white, 47 to 47 1-4; No. 4 yellow, 46 3-4 to 47 1-4.

Oats—No. 2 white, 31 1-2; No. 3 white, 30 1-2 to 3-4; No. 4 white, 30 to 30 1-4; Standard, 30 3-4 to 31.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	94	94¼	92⅝	94
May	100	100⅝	98¾	100
July	96	96⅝	95⅛	96
Corn—				
Dec.	46⅜	46½	45⅝	46½
May	49	49½	48½	49½
July	49¾	50⅝	49	50⅝
Oats—				
Dec.	30	30⅝	29⅝	30½
May	33⅝	34	33½	34
July	32¾	32⅞	32⅜	32⅞
Mess Pork, per barrel—				
Jan.	17 50	17 60	17 37½	17 42½
May	16 60	16 70	16 50	16 52½
Lard, per 100 pounds—				
Nov.	11 72	11 77	11 67	11 70
Jan.	10 62	10 70	10 62	10 62
May	10 10	10 15	10 05	10 07
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds—				
Oct.	11 22½	11 25	11 15	11 15
Jan.	9 37½	9 37	9 25	9 27½
May	9 25	9 27	9 15	9 17½

BETTER ADVICES ON COTTON.

Caused Heavy Liquidation on Market. Spinners Bought on Break.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Oct. 18.—Europe sent better advices than anticipated which was met by heavy liquidation on the part of many who have come to believe that the continued good weather has added materially to the crop. At first this cotton was taken on the idea that outsiders who have been buying on small crop estimates would again enter the market. As they did not, further liquidation continued to the close, which was at about the low point. Spinners bought on the break, they now hold cotton above the prices they can obtain for goods.

Weather continues favorable, with little probability of a frost this week. Should this weather continue for the next fortnight the tendency to increase crop estimates will grow. The Havana storm seems likely to move along the South Atlantic coast. Liverpool should be eight points lower tomorrow. HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Oct. 18.—Turpentine, steady. Charleston, October 18.—Turpentine firm, 73 to 74.

Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 5.90 to 6.15; D, 6.02 1-2 to 6.10; E, 6.17 1-2 to 6.25; F, 6.32 1-2 to 6.35; G, 6.35; H, 6.35 to 6.40; I, 6.40 to 6.45; K, 6.45; M, 6.45 to 6.47 1-2; N, 6.50; WG, 6.75; WW, 7.10.

Savannah, October 18.—Turpentine, firm, 75; sales, 300; receipts, 185; shipments, 2,339.

Rosin firm; sales, 182; receipts, 1,795; shipments, 2,339; stocks, 66,248. Quote: B, 5.95; D, 6.05; E, 6.20; F, 6.35; G, 6.40; H, 6.4 1; 6.45; K, 6.47 1-2; M, 6.50; N, 6.52 1-2; WG, 6.60; WW, 7.05.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 18.—The cotton goods market holds strong with buying moderate in volume. Men's wear is firmer. Cotton yarns are rm. Export markets are quiet.

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PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

SPANISH—Market firmer; sales made today at $3.25 per bushel. Old stock virtually exhausted. Weather conditions remain unfavorable for harvesting the new crop. $3.50 per bushel being offered freely for new goods. None offered.

VIRGINIAS—Market weak, with few sales. Nancy farmers' stock, 3 to 3 1-4c; machine picked stock, 2 1-2 to 2 3-4c; shelling stock, 2c to 2 1-2c.

Forced to Leave Home.

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Call for Proposals for the Construction of Drainage Ditches.

Sealed proposals for constructing drainage ditches in the Chadbourn Drainage District, Chadbourn, N. C., will be received by the Drainage Commissioners at Postoffice building in Chadbourn, N. C., up to 10 o'clock, November 1, 1910, and at that time they will be opened and publicly read, addressed to D. Boughner, chairman, and endorsed, "Proposals for Constructing Drainage Ditches." The aggregate length of these ditches is approximately nineteen (19) miles, and their construction requires the excavating of approximately 140,720 cubic yards of earth. Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check in the sum of 5 per cent. of the contract price, made payable to the chairman of Drainage Commissioners of the Chadbourn Drainage District. Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application to the chairman of the Drainage Commission, Chadbourn, N. C., and a full set of maps and profiles may be seen at the Drainage Commissioner's office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

D. BOUGHNER,
Chairman Drainage Commissioners.
C. R. HUMPHREYS,
Engineer of Chadbourn Drainage District.
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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 19, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Tuesday, Oct. 18th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 63 degrees; 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 80 degrees; minimum, 60 degrees; mean, 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month .62 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Tuesday 3.1 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina:—Rain Wednesday and Thursday, dangerous northeast gale on the coast.

Hurricane Warning.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 18.—Continue hurricane warning 10 P. M. Storm centered in northern Florida, moving north northeastward along the coast. Dangerous gales indicated for next 24 hours. Continue to advise shipping of danger. MOORE.

Port Calendar—October 19.

Sun Sets.....6:20 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:34 P. M.
Day's Length.....11 hrs. 14 min.
High water at Southport 8:09 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 11:09 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Legion—Dr. Lucas.
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A. O. Schuster—You Are Invited.

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For Rent—Large Room.
Palace Market—Remember.
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THE PATHFINDERS AT ROCKINGHAM

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party passed is as follows:

Lumberton at 3:15 P. M.

The pathfinders arrived here this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock, 15 minutes late. The party was entertained at the Industrial and Commercial club rooms. They were met here and at Boardman by Maj. A. J. McKinnon and Editor Harker, from Maxton; Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown, of Fairmont, and others. The patfinders stated that the worst piece of road which they encountered was between here and Boardman, at a point known as Sandy Level. After spending three quarters of an hour here, the party left at 4 o'clock for Maxton, accompanied by the gentlemen who came from that town to meet them. They expected to reach Rockingham tonight. In the party were a number of gentlemen who had many friends here and they were kept busy shaking hands during their stay in Lumberton.

Through Merry Maxton.

Maxton, N. C., Oct. 18.—The official Wilmington-to-Charlotte highway pathfinders reached here early this afternoon from Lumberton, being accompanied from as far down as Boardman by Maj. A. J. McKinnon, Editor W. B. Harker, of the Scottish Chief, Mr. C. J. Cottingham and Mr. Ernest Williams, who, with half a dozen other machines from Lumberton, Maxton and Laurinburg, who joined en route, accompanied the official party to Laurinburg, reaching there at 6 o'clock. The party was elegantly entertained for dinner at Boardman, by the Butters Lumber Company, and the people of the town, who gave the visitors a royal welcome. At Maxton a stop of only ten minutes was made, during which light refreshments were served at the Commercial Club. The trip from Boardman here, and on to Laurinburg, was very satisfactory, and while rough and sandy places were encountered the highway was found very practicable. Not an accident or puncture occurred to mar the perfect success of the trip across Robeson. At Lumberton Editor W. A. Sharpe, of the Lumberton Robesonian; Mr. A. H. McLeod and other joined the party, their reception in Robeson having been one of enthusiastic welcome. En route between Lumberton and Maxton six or eight cars joined the procession and the line of dust covered cars speeding through the county made an impressive sight. Except for the slight accident below Boardman, the cars came through practically on schedule time. Mr. W. D. MacMillan, in the officia. E-M-F. Thirty, had a little trouble with one spring, but there was not the slightest delay other than that mentioned.

Entertained at Laurinburg.

Laurinburg, N. C., Oct. 18.—The pathfinders reached Laurinburg from Maxton about 6 o'clock this afternoon. Of the four cars that left Wilmington, only three reached here. These were driven by Messrs. MacMillan, Hinton and Gooding. Immediately upon reaching Laurinburg, the entire party was invited to the Argyle Club, where other members joined the President, Mr. J. P. McRae, in giving a smoker, where the highway was the only topic allowed discussed. After 30 minutes the party left for Hamlet where they expect to stop for supper, continuing the trip to Rockingham.

WELLMAN FORCED TO LEAVE AIRSHIP

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ately established. Irwin, the operator on the airship, informed Ginsburg, the operator on the Trent, that the airship America's crew wished to abandon the balloon. Wireless communication was kept up from this time on between the airship and the steamer.

Daylight was rapidly approaching and the Trent was requested to follow the America, which was then drifting at the rate of 12 miles an hour.

After the council held on the airship it was decided that the only means of rescue was the life boat. But this was such a hazardous undertaking that much time elapsed before the maneuvering was executed, as the tail of the airship, consisting of tanks and gasoline and wooden blocks, threatened to capsize the life boat, as it was dropped from the balloon into the water.

This danger was at last overcome and the operation was carried out with success. In the operation the trailer struck Wireless Operator Jack Irwin and Louis Loud, the engineer, and also knocked a small hole in the side of the life boat.

The airship immediately, on being released of its weight of the crew and boat, shot skyward as the boat shot downward.

A moderate sea was running at the time, and after some slight difficulty, the crew were taken on board, together with the life boat at 7:30 A. M.

All the members of the crew are well after a thrilling experience. Wireless telegraphy has distinguished itself by showing great assistance in accomplishing the work of rescue.

The Morse lamp signalling also took a great part in the communication between Jack Irwin and officers of the steamer Trent, which gave the signals leading to the rescue.

The crew was picked up in latitude 35.43 north, longitude 62.18 west, where the America was abandoned.

Wellman said that the airship had been blown far out of her course, so that it was inadvisable to proceed.

The foregoing is the first story of the thrilling rescue and was sent by wireless direct from the steamer Trent to the Associated Press.

The Great Disappointment.

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 18.—"My greatest sorrow is over the terrible disappointment that it will be to my husband and the men of the America over their failure to reach Europe," was one of the declarations of Mrs. Walter Wellman, wife of the head of the America expedition, this afternoon in discussing the rescue of her husband.

"We are safe and well. Wellman."

This message was received by Mrs. Wellman, who was with her daughters and Mrs. Vaniman, wife of the chief engineer of the airship.

After expressing her sorrow at the failure of the enterprise, Mrs. Wellman continued:

"We must be proud of the men who risked their lives aboard the America, but I know that Mr. Wellman has always considered the venture as a scientific experiment."

Mrs. Wellman, her daughters and Mrs. Vaniman left for New York this evening.

Atlantic City was swept with a wave of excitement today when the first message telling of the rescue of the crew of the America was flashed over the wires. Business in many places was dropped and the telegraph wires were besieged with queries for more information.

Ready to Search For Party.

Washington Oct. 18.—News of the rescue of the crew of the dirigible balloon America, reached Washington about the time the Navy Department and the Revenue Cutter Service, at the instance of Presi... Taft, was preparing to search for the Wellman party. The text of the President's telegram to the Treasury Department was as follows:

"Is there any reasonable hope of my sending out a revenue cutter that could make the safety of Wellman any more assured? What vessels have you in Boston, or along the coast?"

The messages of the Navy Department asked what vessels were available to go in search of Wellman. A reply was sent by the Revenue Cutter Service, stating that the revenue cutter Gresham, at Boston, the revenue cutter Acushnel, at Nantucket, and the derelict destroyer Seneca at Tompkinsville, N. Y., could be sent in quest of the missing balloonists.

Rear Admiral Nicholson, acting secretary of the Navy, was preparing to reply when he was informed by the Associated Press that Wellman had been rescued. He then telegraphed to the President that the cruisers North Carolina and Prairie, at New York, and the Birmingham, at Yorktown, Virginia, were available to make the search, but at authentic press dispatches indicated that it would not be necessary.

Army and Navy officials were much surprised to learn that the America had gone so far out of her course and regarded it as a remarkable circumstance that her passengers had been picked up. The declare the flight is wonderful, even though Wellman did not realize his ambition to land on European shores.

On Board Steamship Trent, at Sea, 12 o'clock (midnight) October 18.—To the Associated Press. New York—We sighted the airship America at 5 A. M. today. She signalled us by the Morse code, and the wireless played a wonderful part in requesting me to stand by her till daylight. We kept a boat close by her till dawn broke, when she signalled that she could not launch her life boat, and asked me to keep close in order that a line might be attached. We made several futile attempts to attach a line, then the America wireless said that she would come down to the water as soon as possible and drop her boat if I could stand by and pick the boat up.

Meanwhile our life boats kept as close to the airship as possible and finally she got all her men in her boat and cut adrift, at a height of about five feet from the water.

This proved successful. The America immediately rose in the air and snortly afterward, at 8 o'clock, I had the pleasure of welcoming on board Mr. Wellman and his five lieutenants and a cat, which seemed little the worse for its air experiences. I then picked up the boat and proceeded.

Wellman and his crew are honored guests on board. After a wash and a brush up they ate a hearty breakfast. The America was abandoned in latitude 35.18 north, longitude 68.13 west, four hundred and eight miles from Sandy Hook, and the craft is now having a great time among the clouds. The America was making a speed of about eight knots when abandoned and when released drifted to the westward. Her motor had been broken and Wellman was out of his course. All hands were mightily glad of being rescued.

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$35,000.00 School Bonds.
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ATHLETICS DOWN NATIONALS AGAIN

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led off with a base on balls and drew up at third on Baker's single to right. Captain Davis hit into the left field crowd for two bases; Collins walked home and Baker went to third. This brought up the hard hitting Murphy, who sent a terrific drive into left field for a double and Baker and Davis raced around the diamond. Chance signalled to the bench and Richie went down to the firing line to warm up. Barry sacrificed sending Murphy to third and the latter came home with the fourth run of the inning on Thomas' single. Coombs was an easy out and Strunk lined a two base hit to right scoring Thomas. Lord should have been an easy out in an attempt to steal second.

Chicago made one run in the ninth on Hoffman's single and a two base hit by Zimmerman. The total paid admissions for today 24,597 and the total receipts were $35,137.

The total attendance for the two days was 51,488 and the total receipts $72,561.50.

The share of the players for the two days is $39,183.21. The two teams left here over the Pennsylvania railroad tonight for Chicago. The third game of the series will be played in that city on Thursday.

The score:

Chicago	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Sheckard, lf.	5	1	1	0	1	1
Schulte, rf.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hofman, cf.	2	1	1	1	0	0
Chance, 1b.	5	0	2	14	0	0
Zimmerman, 2b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Steinfeldt, 3b.	3	0	1	1	2	1
Tinker, ss.	4	0	2	2	4	0
Kling, c.	4	0	0	5	2	0
Brown, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Beaumont, x.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Richie, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	31	3	8	24	13	3

Philadelphia	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Strunk, cf.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Lord, lf.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Collins, 2b.	4	2	3	4	6	0
Baker, 3b.	4	1	1	1	1	0
Davis, 1b.	5	1	2	7	0	2
Murphy, rf.	4	1	1	1	1	0
Barry, ss.	4	0	1	3	1	0
Thomas, c.	3	2	2	6	1	0
Coombs, p.	4	0	1	0	1	2
Total	37	9	14	27	11	4

Beaumont batted for Brown in eighth inning.

Innings:

Chicago .....100 000 101—3
Philadelphia .....002 010 60x—9

Summary: Two base hits, Tinker, Sheckard, Steinfeldt, Zimmerman, Davis, Murphy and Strunk; Collins, (2). Pitching record: Hits off Brown, 13 in 7 innings; off Richie, 1 in 1 inning. Sacrifice hits, Sheckard, Barry, Schulte, 2; Sacrifice fly, Zimmerman. Stolen bases, Collins, 2. Double plays, Collins to Davis, Murphy to Thomas, Tinker to Chance. Left on bases, Chicago 14, Philadelphia 5. First base on balls, off Brown, 4, (Murphy, Baker, Thomas, Collins), off Coombs 9, (Sheckard 3, Hofman 3, (Zimmerman, Kling, Tinker). First on errors, Chicago 4, Philadelphia 2. Struck out, by Brown 6, (Strunk 3, Coombs 2, Barry), by Coombs 5, (Steinfeldt, Chance, Kling, Brown, Beaumont). Time 2 hours and 25 minutes. Umpires, at the plate, Rigler; on the bases, Sheridan; in left field, Connolly; in right field, O'Day.

Giants Win Fifth Game.

New York, Oct. 18.—Christy Mathewson was an unsolvable problem to the Highlanders today and the Giants had no trouble in winning the fifth game of the post season series, 5 to 1. The series now stands: New York Nationals 3; Americans 1; tied 1.

Devore brought in the Giants' first run with a high drive into the left field bleachers for the circuit. After two men were out in the second inning Myers got a lucky infield hit and Mathewson walked to first on four wide ones. DeVore's strike to right scoring Myers and Doyle followed with a drive which rattled the ball against the centerfield fence. Doyle was across the plate before the ball reached the diamond.

The Highlanders garnered their only run in the seventh inning on a single by Knight and a wild pitch by Mathewson and Doyle's error.

Highlanders ....000 000 100—1 6 0
Giants .....140 000 001—5 6 2

Fisher and Mitchell; Mathewson and Myers; time 1:48; umpires Klem and Evans.

Cincinnati Downs Cleveland.

Cincinnati, Oct. 18.—The Cincinnati National League baseball team by defeating the Cleveland Americans 8 to 5 today won the post season series between the two eams for the championship of Ohio. Falkenburg pitched gilt-edged ball until the sixth inning when six hits allowed Cincinnati to take the lead by scoring five runs. In the fourth Cleveland made four runs by pounding Suggs hard. Cleveland tied it up in the seventh and in the Cincinnati half the locals went ahead again by scoring two more. They added one to this in the eighth. Kaler, who relieved Falkenburg, served only three men, walking all of them. Mitchell, who pitched the last two innings was also wild. Gaspar, who relieved Suggs was hit rather freely, but he managed to keep the hits well scattered. Lobert's triple in the sixth with two men on bases was the feature.

Cleveland .....000 400 100—5 12 1
Cincinnati .....000 005 21x—8 8 1

Falkenburg, Kaler and Mitchell; Suggs, Gasper and McLean.

Time 2.00. Umpires Brennan and O'Loughlin.

TRIAL OF CRIPPEN BEGINS.

American Dentist Plead Not Guilty in London Court Yesterday.

London, Oct. 18.—Dr. Hawley H. Crippen today was put on trial for his life, charged with the murder of Cora Belle Crippen, the American actress, known in the profession as Belle Elmore.

The jury, a typical body of middle-class tradesmen and clerks, was secured with but little trouble. Crippen pleaded not guilty and then listened intently and with an anxious expression on his face as Richard D. Muir made the opening statement for the prosecution.

The trial is being held in the New Bailey, presided over by Lord Chief Justice Alverstone. He was accompanied into court today by Sir John Knill, lord mayor of London; Sir Thomas Vessey Strong, lord-mayor-elect, and the sheriffs in their robes of office.

Crippen is represented by Alfred Aspineal Tobin, K. C., Unionist member of Parliament, and Hunley Eugene Jenkins. Ethel Clara Leneve, the doctor's typist, who has been indicted as an accessory after the fact, was not in court. Her trial will follow in the event of Crippen's conviction.

The American witness, Bruce Miller, of Chicago, and his wife, were recognized when they appeared in court. Mr. Miller was formerly an actor with Belle Elmore in a professional way. When Crippen was attempting to explain the disappearance of his wife to Inspector Dew of Scotland Yard, he said he thought she had gone to join Mr. Miller in the United States. Mr. Miller subsequently declared his acquaintance with Belle Elmore was only such as was necessary in the routine of his theatrical engagements.

The most interesting testimony before the luncheon interval was given by Mrs. Pauline Martinette, who repeated her police court evidence. The witness and her husband dined with the Crippens at the home of the latter on the evening of January 31 and played cards until 1:30 in the morning. The Crippens seemed perfectly happy. This occasion was the last on which Mrs. Crippen was seen by any one so far as the police have been able to learn.

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